

BOARD APPROVES ANNEXATION OF NEW TERRITORY

The Board of City Trustees met Monday evening, May 9, with Mayor Smith presiding. As a special order of business, four bids were opened for street improvements on Knowles avenue and Cross street. To the pleasure of the board and the City Engineer the figures were found even less than at first estimated. On motion this matter was laid over until next meeting and the engineer was instructed to figure the exact amount that this work will cost each lot in that district.

A communication from a resident asking to move a hydrant from in front of his garage driveway was referred to the Water Works engineer. The board canvassed the annexation vote of the Colma District No. 2 and found 23 votes for and 11 against. This will place the city limits of Daly City at Vale street. By a majority vote the board accepted the plan.

A petition from fifteen residents in the Vista Grande district, asking the board to take a condemned shack off a shack was received, and on motion this matter was laid over to check with the health department what improvements could put this place in a sanitary condition. This place was condemned along with a program of progress laid out in a petition presented by many residents in that section some while back, and the board is checking the names on both to see if conditions have changed.

The Flood Relief Committee reports that money has been coming in fairly well, and asks all willing to help to place the same with the committee or at the Daly City Bank. On motion \$25 was donated to the cause by the City of Daly City.

The light committee reported the installation of several lights in the new districts and asks the residents to go slow with their demands for a while as our lighting bill is now over \$400 a month for street lights.

The police committee reports the appointment of one more policeman to patrol our streets and promised to place him in service within a few days. This will give better protection to our city by having a man to patrol the outlying districts along with a man around the business section. When in need of police protection ring Randolph 55.

The city engineer was instructed to arrange the block book to take in the newly annexed district.

The city has purchased a house and lot for a public pound and in a few days will be able to collect all stray dogs. To rid the streets of name when in need of the pound call Randolph 55.

Stop signs will be placed at all streets leading into Mission street in a few days. This measure is intended to prevent many accidents that would occur through driving into the street without proper warning.

The board adjourned to meet Monday evening, May 23.

LOCAL GIRL STUDENTS ENTERTAIN MOTHERS

The Associated Girl Students of Jefferson Union high school entertained the mothers last Friday, May 6, in honor of Mother's Day.

A program was presented under the direction of Frances Sampson, chairman of the social affairs committee. Those who entertained were Cynthia Morgan, Marcella Savage, Mildred Swan, Mabel Vireno, Pauline Aiello and Hazel Milo.

After the program the mothers were shown through the school by some of the girls of the association. The rooms were all beautifully decorated with flowers in honor of the occasion.

When the mothers had been shown through the building they were ushered down to the new dining room where tea and cake were served by the girls of the cooking class.

Each mother was given a French bouquet by one of the girls before she bid adieu to a wonderful time given by the A. G. S. of Jefferson high school.

WIN CHAMPIONSHIP

Jefferson high's 130-pound baseball team emerged victorious in their final league game with Redwood City, last Wednesday afternoon, on the Jefferson diamond. The score was 10 to 4. Two stars, Charley Aiello and "Mo" Plansky, were out of the game because of serious injuries. In spite of this handicap, the team turned in a very lopsided score in their favor. Jefferson high has beaten every team in the league and as the champions all the players will receive "Block J's." This is Jefferson's first athletic championship.

REALTORS LISTEN TO CONGRESSMAN

The weekly meeting of the New Mission Real Estate Board was held at the Monterey Grill, San Jose avenue and Monterey boulevard, Wednesday noon. The attendance, being composed of real estate brokers of the district, their salesmen and guests, numbered thirty.

The speaker of the occasion, Congressman Richard Welch, gave some interesting data regarding the growth of the district from College Hill to Daly City during recent years. He made a stirring plea for the inducement of industries to take up the great area in and around San Francisco so that our future, both in financial prosperity and in population, would parallel our present position as a banking center and a maritime outlet. The Congressman spoke very favorably of the manner in which the present incumbent of the White House is conserving and safeguarding the interests of the American people as a whole, and gave some interesting information regarding the manner in which he had handled the farmer's problems.

Mr. C. B. Rich, the president of the local organization, and Mr. A. B. Frank, the vice-president, gave short talks on the growth of our district, and stressed the need of closer cooperation between the realtors of the New Mission, as well as complimenting the members on the general good that had resulted insofar as the organization had progressed.

The next regular business meeting will be held at the office of A. B. Frank, 4607 Mission street, on Wednesday evening, May 18, at 8 o'clock.

SPLENDID SERVICES AT GRACE CHURCH

There was no disappointment last Sabbath in the services held at Grace Presbyterian church in honor of Mother's Day. The committee, composed of Mesdames Swan, Harte and Jacques, did themselves proud in arranging the special music and bringing flowers for the decorations. Carnations, lilies, straw flowers, daisies, and ferns made a beautiful bank of nature's gifts.

Poems were given by Master James Swan and Billie Grantham on Mother's Day, and a reading by Miss Katherine McKewen, "Have You Written to Mother," were enjoyed and appreciated. Gifford Teel sang very touchingly on "Mother Love." Miss Marcella Savage rendered a piano solo on the same theme.

The program was indeed splendid. The sermon of the hour was from the theme "The Mothers of Tomorrow." The church was filled for the service.

The evening hour was taken up with a special program of music. Two solos by Mrs. Millhouser brought renewed evidence that Mrs. Millhouser is loved and appreciated by the congregation. Master Fred Millhouser gave a very fine solo on the violin. Gifford Teel sang to the joy of all. Miss Mildred Swan accompanied on the piano.

It was a splendid day for the church, and those who missed the services have lost something worth while.

The theme for next Sunday evening will be "The Joys of Being a Mother." Quit your kickin' and come and help and find that the sun shines a little brighter and the birds sing sweeter and the world looks different to those who boost.

Christian Endeavor will be led by Mrs. R. S. Davis, and a good program is being arranged.

CHAS. H. GATCHELL, Minister.

DRIVERS REQUIRED TO STOP AT MISSION

Drivers of all vehicles must observe the "Stop" signs in Daly City in the future, or pay the penalty.

An ordinance appears in this issue of the Record, entitled "An ordinance of the City of Daly City, regulating travel and traffic in said city and repealing conflicting ordinances and providing penalties for violation thereof."

Mission street is designated as a main boulevard, and all drivers of any kind of vehicle must stop such vehicle with the front wheels thereof behind the projected property lines of said boulevard before entering upon same.

In other words, you must come to a full stop before entering Mission street from any of the streets entering that thoroughfare. Should you fail to do so, you will be liable to a fine of not more than \$300, or by imprisonment for a period of not more than three months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

It therefore behooves all drivers to stop before driving onto Mission street, and thus save themselves the embarrassment of being halted before the Judge for punishment.

SCHOOL TEACHER FREED OF HAIR PULLING CHARGE

The trial of Willie Preston vs. Mrs. Jennie Jones, teacher of the Woodrow Wilson school, took place last Saturday morning at Redwood City, in the Superior Court, Judge George H. Buck presiding.

It will be remembered that this is the case in which Mrs. Jones was accused of pulling out a good sized lock of Willie Preston's hair and was sued for \$1,000 damages for the loss of the same.

Well, when the court was called on last Saturday, about thirty or more people from Daly City were present, and among them a large number of little children.

The first words of the Judge were: "Why are all these children here? There is no place for them. They should be at home."

These remarks had a very quieting effect upon all those present.

The lawyer for the plaintiff put a number of witnesses upon the stand, endeavoring to prove that Mrs. Jones had done what she was charged with.

It was actually stated that Mrs. Jones had pulled out the child's hair and then stuck it on again. This made a few laugh, but they sobered promptly when the Judge said sternly: "If anyone wants to laugh, let him go out into the rotunda."

The Judge was averse to permitting any of the little children to be sworn, but he questioned them himself, ascertaining that they went to church regularly, and one told him he could see what went on behind him, causing the advice to be given that it was not nice to turn around in school.

The side of the plaintiff made such a pitiful poor case that at its close Joseph J. Bullock, the attorney for Mrs. Jones, moved for a non-suit.

The Judge gave evidence that he was inclined to grant the motion, but said he was willing to listen to the attorney for the plaintiff if there was anything more to be said. The attorney discoursed at considerable length, but failed to improve his standing. When he concluded his review of the case, the Judge informed him that he had failed to establish even the slightest claim for damages and that the case was one that should have been settled before the board of school trustees, and Attorney Joseph J. Bullock stated that the school trustees had heard and rendered judgment in the case.

There was no need of any witnesses for the defense. There were many present, but not one was called.

Without any more painful procedure the court was adjourned.

Although the trial appeared to amount to very little, still it was necessary to a considerable extent. It will serve to clear the atmosphere of misunderstanding in a most salutary way.

Mrs. Jennie Jones is the pioneer teacher of Daly City. It was she who conducted the first class in Ryan's hall, many years ago, and she has been teaching the beginners ever since. As the school trustees decided

NEW AIRPORT AT SAN BRUNO HAS OFFICIAL OPENING

San Francisco's municipal airport, to be known as Mills field, was dedicated last Saturday by officials and prominent business leaders of San Francisco and the peninsula. Although the field will not be in perfect condition until June 15, it was dedicated in honor of the state-wide aeronautical conference terminating at the Whitcomb Hotel, San Francisco.

More than fifty planes were on the field for the ceremonies. They hopped off at noon for Sacramento and later went on to Stockton to dedicate the new Stockton airport.

Milo Kent, chairman of the airport committee of the San Francisco board of supervisors, presided at the ceremonies. Mayor James Rolph of San Francisco, Lewis E. Haas, assistant manager and controller of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, Mayor J. T. O'Connor of San Bruno, the mayor of Fresno, Walter Varney, Sr., and others addressed the gathering on the importance of this forward step to San Francisco.

"San Francisco has taken a step in aviation progress that is a great credit to her," said Mayor Rolph in his address. "Such forward looking vision can not but open the road a bit more easily for further development along this line. All the world is watching aviation and San Francisco's municipal field, which when completed will be one of the most thoroughly equipped fields in this country, will place San Francisco even more firmly on the map."

An impressive flag-raising ceremony with the San Francisco municipal band playing the "Star Spangled Banner," and with salutes by twenty-one aircraft guns were also features.

MOTHER'S DAY OBSERVED BY DALY CITY MOTHERS

On Sunday morning, May 1, at 8 o'clock, a Mother's day breakfast was held at Trinity Church, Twenty-third and Capp streets, San Francisco. A large representation of Daly City mothers were present. After the breakfast, a very inspiring address was delivered by Mrs. Charles W. Williams, of Portland, Oregon, her subject being "Looking Through the Window." Special music by the choir and a solo by Mrs. Warren F. Geldert were most fitting for Mother's day.

Those present from Daly City were: Mesdames F. Junker, F. H. Thompson, R. B. Cashin, E. O'Brien, M. Elmers, G. Savage, A. Anderson, Azelia Frary, A. Metth, M. Rampi; Misses Edna and Lucile O'Brien, Marie Junker, Marcella Savage, Alice Elmers, Marjorie Thompson.

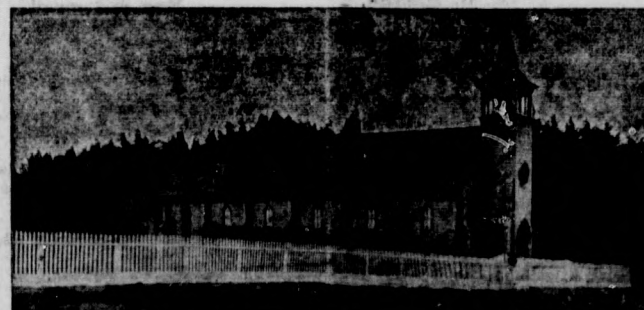
after hearing the evidence, "It is impossible to believe that she was guilty as charged." Many warm friends take pleasure in congratulating her upon the result of the trial.

May Festival 20th and 21st; Colma to Have a New Church

Preparations are well under way and final arrangements will be made at a meeting to be held on Monday night in Parish Hall for the May Festival to be held on May 20 and 21. Reports from various committees show that the work is going

care of you under the direction of Mat Grady, Mrs. May, Mrs. T. J. Callan and Mrs. Flanagan.

Ice cream, candy and fish pond will keep all the youngsters busy, and will be under the Santa Maria Club, assisted by Misses Mary and Jean



The Present Holy Angels' Church.—Watch for the new one

ahead by bounds and that the people have found that the boys and girls are right when they say we need a new church.

The boys and girls are busy getting the final details together, and under the direction of the various clubs, assisted by the ladies and men of the parish, they are confident that they will have a large crowd on opening night.

The children have several numbers with which to entertain you, and you can dance as long as you care to. Mr. Guido Santucci will render Serenata "Toselli," which will delight the heart of both young and old.

Hot coffee and home-made cakes will keep you up till breakfast, so don't worry about getting your supper on time. The Boy's Club will take

BOARD CONTINUES BRIDGE HEARING

Hearing of details in connection with the application of Charles J. Carey, San Francisco attorney, for a franchise to construct a toll bridge across San Francisco bay from Candle Stick Point in San Mateo county, just south of the San Francisco line, to what is known as Bay Farm Island in Alameda county, was set by the board of supervisors for Monday, June 6, at their meeting last Monday.

Carey, who had announced in legal advertising his intention to apply for the bridge franchise, appeared before the supervisors Monday morning with maps, plans and specifications and accompanied by engineers and construction experts. Carey had the proposed ordinance providing for the granting of the franchise, which he asked to be allowed to read to the board. Supervisor Brown suggested that District Attorney Franklin Swart be called in to the conference. The district attorney said it would be impossible for him to give any legal opinion in the matter until he had time to study the various phases of the proposal, and suggested that he be furnished with a copy of the proposed ordinance.

Carey asked that he be allowed to explain his details at this time and then have the board and the district attorney study the proposal later before acting on the granting of the franchise.

Chairman Pool stated that he knew nothing of the project and felt that the matter should be continued, and made an order setting the hearing for June 6.

THREE MEET DEATH IN CROSSING CRASH

Three occupants of an automobile met death when the machine in which they were riding was struck by a train near San Carlos. The dead are:

Frank L. Sheerin, 68, building contractor, 702 Eleventh avenue, San Francisco; Mrs. Agnes Sheerin, 68, his wife; Mrs. Dennis Sheerin, 60, a sister-in-law, living at 579 Sixteenth avenue.

The Sheerins were returning to San Francisco from a ride down the peninsula late Sunday evening when the driver made the fatal move. He attempted to leave the highway to drive on a side road across the railroad tracks. As he swung his car across the tracks he realized too late that a roaring passenger train was bearing down on the car.

Hundreds of motorists witnessed the grim drama. The women in the car seemed to be attempting to leap; Sheerin tried frantically to speed his car across the path of the speeding locomotive; air brakes were applied to the train, and the whistle shrieked. But the car was struck, dragged about 200 feet, and the occupants fatally injured.

SOUTH CITY TO VOTE \$40,000 BOND ISSUE

The fire hazard in South San Francisco will be lessened materially shortly after June 7, providing a \$40,000 bond issue to be held on that date is favored by a majority of that city's voters.

Through action of the board of city trustees last week, the bond issue was authorized and a campaign to insure its success will get under way immediately. The \$40,000 will be spent for a new 750-gallon pump, repairs and additions to the water system, a chemical truck, many new hydrants, a fire station in the industrial zone, an alarm system and hundreds of feet of new hose and other incidentals essential to the proper functioning of the department.

According to members of the trustee board, South San Francisco faces an alarming fire hazard under present fire-fighting and fire prevention facilities and a strenuous effort will be made between now and the date of the election to swing public opinion unanimously toward voting the bonds.

PROPOSE EXTENSION OF BAY SHORE ROAD

Proposal to extend the Bayshore boulevard to San Mateo instead of stopping at Broadway in Burlingame was voted Monday by the San Francisco board of supervisors.

San Mateo civic organizations and the chamber of commerce, in presenting their request before the San Francisco board, stated that the highway's extension to San Mateo would furnish five additional arteries connecting the main highway and two to the Skyline boulevard. These will all be without grade crossings, it is claimed.

REDISTRICTING PLAN IS OPPOSED BY COAST GROUP

Determined opposition to the proposed redistricting of the county supervisorial districts was expressed by members of the Coastside Civic Union at their meeting held in San Gregorio last Monday night. The members subscribed a fund of \$1,000 cash at the meeting and placed it in the hands of Chairman M. J. Bettencourt with instructions to employ attorneys and oppose any movement on the part of the county supervisors to redistrict the county.

Bettencourt was empowered to carry the matter to the highest courts if necessary, and arrangements were perfected to raise additional funds if the need demanded. The sentiment of the meeting was apparently unanimous against a proposed change in the township boundaries of the county and many expressed themselves as favoring a charter form of government for the county rather than a continuance of the present system under a redistricting plan.

Various routine business was transacted at the meeting and appointments made to fill vacancies on committees of the organization. George E. Dunn, publisher of the Half Moon Bay Review, was named as representative of the Coastside Civic Union to the San Mateo Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Dunn, H. E. Griffiths and R. Guy Smith were appointed a publicity committee for the Union, and John Ferguson of the Peninsula Farms Company was named to succeed H. L. Martini on the dairy farms committee. Roy Scott of Pescadero, was named to succeed Frank L. Lathrop on the highways committee.

EAGLES' PICNIC TAKES PLACE NEXT SUNDAY

All preparations have been made by members of Colma-Vista Grande Aerie No. 1848, Fraternal Order of Eagles, for an outing next Sunday, May 15, when they will journey down the Peninsula to Steven's Creek. All who expect to take part in this outing are looking forward to a day of pleasure, as the committee having the outing in charge promise a number of interesting events. There will be dancing, games and races for young and old. Special amusements will be provided for the kiddies, who will undoubtedly have the time of their young lives.

It is understood that the caravan of picnickers will leave at an early hour from Eagles' Hall. All are invited, and it is hoped a goodly number will journey to Steven's Creek.

TEACHER SAYS DEATH STORY EXAGGERATED

Miss Marian Hedrick, former teacher in the Burlingame high school and one of those listed as "missing" in news dispatches from Canton during the recent shelling of the city has arrived at Honolulu and denied her "death," an account of which was published in a San Francisco newspaper. Word of Miss Hedrick's arrival in Honolulu was received by friends a few days ago with an account of how the report of her alleged death was made public.

"It happened naturally enough," she said. "I was a teacher of English at Nanking University. When the Cantonese approached the city the order was given for all women to evacuate Nanking. I slipped out with some other women ahead of the general evacuation, but the other women had the foresight to leave notice with the authorities, while I did not do so. Thus after the capture of the city by Cantonese, the killing of the vice-president of our university and the subsequent shelling from American boats, a checkup was made and I was officially listed as 'missing; believed dead.'"

BODY OF MISSING MAN COMES ASHORE

Washed up on the shore at Pedro Point Sunday morning, the body of Edward McGowan, San Francisco youth, who was drowned on April 23 while swimming with two other young men in the ocean near Fleishacker's pool, San Francisco, was identified by a signet ring worn by the young man.

The discovery was made by C. E. Zimmerman of Oakland, who with a group of friends, was spending the day on the beach a few miles from Half Moon Bay. The body was hardly recognizable, according to Coroner W. A. Brooks, who was called to the scene and who made the identification through the ring.

Final identification was made by a brother from San Francisco who went to the W. C. Laswell & Co. undertaking parlors, Daly City.

MISSISSIPPI FLOOD WORKS HAVOC WITH MAIN HIGHWAYS

Twelve hundred miles of main highways have been rendered impassable and thousands of miles of secondary roads have been put out of commission in the area affected by the breaking of levees and overflowing of the Mississippi river and tributaries, according to a comprehensive report received by the California State Automobile Association from the American Automobile Association, with which it is affiliated.

The tremendous extent of the havoc that the flood has wrought on the roads of six states is disclosed in an exhaustive survey made by the National Touring Board of the American Automobile Association, on the basis of telegraphic reports from its road scouts, from A. A. clubs and from State Highway Departments. In several instances, road scouts found themselves marooned, with the highways they were logging caught in the path of flood waters.

In addition to the twelve hundred miles of primary highways that have gone under a blanket of mud and water, in Arkansas, Illinois, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri and Tennessee, there are many thousands of miles of connecting secondary roads completely unavailable, as far as highway transport is concerned.

There are eight main highways on which travel has wholly or partially ceased. These are Sikeston, Mo., to Memphis, Tenn.; Memphis, Tenn., to Little Rock, Ark.; Little Rock to Texarkana; Clarksdale to Vicksburg, Miss.; Vicksburg to Monroe and Shreveport, La.; Little Rock to Vicksburg; Vicksburg to Natchez and Baton Rouge; New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Alexandria and Shreveport.

The more important centers of population in the flooded area, whose highway communications have been hard hit, are as follows: Cairo, Ill., Sikeston, Mo., Blytheville, Ark., Ripley, Tenn., Memphis, Tenn., Forest City, Ark., Texarkana, Ark., Clarksdale, Miss., Greenville, Miss., Vicksburg, Miss., Natchez, Miss., Monroe, La., Alexandria, La., Baton Rouge, La., New Orleans, La., Little Rock, Ark., and Hot Springs, Ark.

MOUNTAIN PLAY TO BE GIVEN SUNDAY, MAY 22.

Net proceeds of the mountain play to be given Sunday, May 22, in the outdoor theatre on Tamalpais will go toward the fund for the purchase of the Mount Tamalpais state park site. Arthur H. Blake, member of the board of directors for the Mountain Play Association, has offered the cooperation of his organization in assisting the Tamalpais Conservation club in making possible the purchase of the park site.

Audiences at the mountain play on May 22 will overlook the site of the proposed park, which adjoins the mountain theatre and Muir Woods.

R. F. ("Dad") O'Rourke, secretary of the board of directors for the Mountain Play Association, has been active in the work of the Mountain Play association since the production of the first play in the mountain theatre in 1913. James Wright is president of the Conservation club.

"The Gods of the Mountain" by Lord Dunsany has been chosen for presentation this year because of its adaptability to outdoor production. Herbert Grimwood, London actor, is directing the play in which there will be a cast of more than one hundred. Prominent members of the Alpine club are taking part in the prologue and interlude which Mr. Grimwood has written for the play. Elaborate costumes will furnish color and make possible effective groupings of the cast.

LEGION MEMBERS PLAN TWO-DAY PILGRIMAGE

Members of the American Legion, Legion Auxiliary and the Forty & Eight, with their families are planning to go to Santa Cruz from all parts of California for a two-day pilgrimage and entertainment May 14-15. This is the first affair of this nature ever staged by the Legion in Northern California and will be made an annual event in the future, according to Grand Chief Jack Huston, of the Forty & Eight.

The feature of the pilgrimage will be the dedication of one of the large Redwoods in the Santa Cruz Grove to the "Californians who served in the World War." Fred F. Bebergall, past department adjutant of the American Legion and the first grand chief of the Forty & Eight, will be the speaker of the day. There will also be all forms of sports; bathing, golfing, deep-sea fishing, yachting and a grand ball in the Casino Yacht club ballroom.

The local Forty & Eight organization, backed by the Santa Cruz business men, is sponsoring the pilgrimage and with the assistance of the Santa Cruz Legion Post and Auxiliary Unit will act as host to the visiting delegation.

Marjorie Wright, 16-year-old Toledo girl, has returned from a hunting trip to the Canadian northwest, where she shot and killed a moose whose antlers had a spread of 56 inches. At home she runs a tea room.

Rebecca Reid, of Greenville, S. C., made her debut as a pianist before a local music club at the age of 4 years.

DRUIDS PREPARING FOR MAY PAGEANT

The biggest festival ever held by California Druids will be the pageant in the Civic Auditorium at San Francisco, May 22, 23 and 24, with an attendance of more than 80,000 people, it is announced by John M. Perata, noble grand arch of California Druids and chairman of the pageant committee.

"Special motor caravans are being formed in every Druid community in California to bring delegations to San Francisco for the three-day pageant," Perata said.

Dress rehearsals of the pageant began this week, according to Fred Carlyle, director of the production in which more than 600 people will appear.

The ballet of sixty girls is being drilled by Pierette Gasnier. Mademoiselle Marie Dorall will be the solo dancer of the oriental extravaganza. She was brought from New York where she starred in Raymond Hitchcock productions for the Druid pageant. It will be her first appearance in San Francisco.

Male chorus numbers of the pageant will be featured by the Albert Pike Orpheus Chorus of 30 male voices, members of Islam Temple Chanters. Richard Jose, tenor, is the soloist; Owen Roberts, director; Gwenith Price Phillips, accompanist; Doris Kinread Pratt, contralto.

Charles H. Ellsworth, assistant director of the pageant, announced that many San Francisco fraternal and national organizations are co-operating to make the Druids pageant a success, including Woodmen of the World, Eagles, and the Swiss singing society.

King Solomon will be played by Edward Thomas, basso; the Queen of Sheba by Florence Ringo, dramatic soprano. Nona Campbell, contralto, has the part of Solomon's favorite, and Harry Spaulding, lyric tenor, is the chief sculptor.

LEGION POSTS RAISING FUNDS FOR RED CROSS

Three hundred American Legion Posts are co-operating with Red Cross Chapters or are actively taking the leadership, where there is no chapter, in raising funds for relief of the Mississippi River flood sufferers, according to Dr. John F. Slavich, state commander of the World War veterans' organization.

This response has been made in accordance with an appeal recently made by Commander Slavich to his various units throughout the state. In addition to help lent its local relief committee Hollywood Post has sent department headquarters here \$300 to be used directly by Legion officials in the states of Louisiana, Mississippi and Arkansas. Many other posts have forwarded their additional donations which will, Commander Slavich expects, soon reach the thousand dollar mark. The state department of the Women's Auxiliary, through its president, Mrs. Elizabeth I. Drendell, has wired \$300 east for relief purposes. The California Auxiliary was the first department to respond.

GRADE CROSSING SEPARATIONS

Since the reorganization of the Railroad Commission in 1912 an enormous amount of work has been performed by the commission, through the Transportation Division of its Engineering Department, in studying dangerous grade crossings, more than one hundred of which have been eliminated by grade separations ordered by the commission since that time.

The estimated cost of all grade crossings ordered eliminated by means of overhead or undergrade crossing structures is \$9,031,308, of which \$6,186,999 has actually been expended, leaving \$2,844,309 of grade separations, ordered by the commission, but not actually built.

PLOT AGAINST CALLES

A dispatch from Mexico stated that it was the belief of government officials that Edgar M. Wilkins, American electrical engineer, was kidnapped and deliberately murdered in a plot by enemies of the government of President Calles. They said that Wilkins' murder by outlaws, when their demands for \$20,000 ransom proved unavailing, appeared to have all the earmarks of a plot carried out to embarrass the present Mexican government and possibly cause trouble with the United States. A report of later date states that several of the band which committed the murder have been executed. Mr. Wilkins' home was originally in Savannah, Georgia, but he lived in Mexico for fifteen years.

Another instance of a plot to cause trouble between this country and Mexico was seen in the disclosure of forged papers purporting to have been sent by Secretary Kellogg and other American officials to representatives of the United States in Mexico, with the language designed to arouse Mexican resentment. Some of the communications are understood to have been forgeries from beginning to end. Other are genuine documents with forged insertions. It was in their changed form that the communications were presented to President Calles. Thus the effort to bring on a break of relations between the two countries goes on.

A New Sales Record IN SAN FRANCISCO

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G. Bottini,
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H. J. Brown,
525 Ansa St.,
Sedan

H. A. Chalmers Co.,
377 21st Ave.,
Truck

J. E. Chastain,
Co. I, 30th Inf. Freddie,
Coach

C. Calhoun,
1401 Ocean Ave.,
Coach

A. D. Cox,
488 San Jose Ave.,
Coach

Jack Eppstein,
279 Sutter St.,
Landau

W. A. Fairbanks,
171 Maynard St.,
Coach

D. M. Farris, M. D.,
26 Park St.,
Coupe

E. Falk,
253 Clinton Park,
Coupe

M. Fellbach,
1450 Castro St.,
Coupe

F. C. Fitch,
550 Cordova St.,
Coach

Frank Figone,
4 Elizabeth St.,
Coach

Wm. P. Goss Inc.,
140 Geary St.,
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F. B. Grant,
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Coach

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37 Norton St.,
Coach

Mrs. A. J. Gunderson,
210 Corbett Ave.,
Coach

R. G. Hayton,
463 Scott St.,
Imperial Landau

L. O. Hennling,
177A Corbett Ave.,
Coach

T. C. Hunter,
1180 Mission St.,
Cabriolet

Hirsch & Kaye,
259 Grant Ave.,
Coupe

Stanley Kallman,
Governor Hotel,
Cabriolet

S. W. McKimsey,
4400 14th St.,
Truck

Geo. H. McDonough,
1100 Judah St.,
Coupe

H. S. Meisberger,
625 15th Ave.,
Coupe

A. Gatt,
83 Irvington Ave.,
Coupe

L. Hernandez,
1247 Jackson St.,
Roadster

A. R. Hughes,
410 Ashbury St.,
Coach

D. House,
128 Pine St.,
Coach

H. D. Jones,
917 Cole St.,
Sedan

F. Jackson,
460 McAllister,
Coupe

Sam Kurtz,
119 Felton St.,
Coach

G. Kreter,
1521 Sutter St.,
Landau

Wm. Larson,
30 Peters Ave.,
Coach

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N. F. Larsen,
238 Holloway St.,
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A. Linchner,
291 Capistrano Ave.,
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Marcel Masse,
684 Polson St.,
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Capt. Moler,
1769 San Jose Ave.,
Sedan

V. Miller,
2202 California St.,
Coupe

A. Niel,
69 DeLong St.,
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Peter B. Nagel,
644 Market St.,
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A. Osterloh,
1814 Diamond St.,
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R. W. Ferris,
513 Hittner St.,
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L. R. Pannoy,
6405 Harmon Court,
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N. Petersen,
P. O. Box 142 Belmont,
Coupe

Mrs. P. Paschel,
209 Balboa Bldg.,
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Grace L. Penn,
2324 Post St.,
Coupe

N. J. Pillars,
2406 Sacramento,
Coach

B. Perez,
109 Kessling St.,
Coupe

Quaker State Oil Co.,
1240 17th St.,
Truck

J. Richardson,
654 22nd Ave.,
Landau

A. C. Reinecke,
23 Clay St.,
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C. Reiss,
429 California St.,
Cabriolet

Robert L. Strayer,
Fort Mason,
Cabriolet

J. P. Sullivan,
1533 Sanchez St.,
Coach

M. Stewart,
1947 Lake St.,
Cabriolet

Jack F. Schindler,
4019 E. 16th St.,
Oakland, Calif., Coupe

L. G. Scott,
482 Sanchez St.,
Coach

R. Sandino,
2239 Divisadero St.,
Roadster

Mrs. P. Tausig,
725 Sutter St.,
Coupe

Joe Urreia,
1255 Pacific St.,
Coach

J. Vujovich,
169 Parnassus,
Coach

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DUST EFFECT ON CARS EXPLAINED

Study Made of Journal Bearings With a Fine Abrasive in Lubricant.

The United States bureau of standards has just completed a series of laboratory experiments to determine the effect of road dust on the lubricants of automobiles.

The investigation involved a study of the performance characteristics of journal bearings when a fine abrasive was in the lubricant, a condition similar to that resulting from the presence of road dust and other solid matter in the crankcase oil of automobile engines.

Increase Friction Loss.

Under severe operating conditions, road dust in the lubricant of an automobile will considerably increase friction losses, while at light loads, it was shown, but little difference will be noted.

"This fact makes especially important the precise determination of the effect of dust on the durability of the affected parts of the engine from a standpoint of service and economy," the report states.

The journal bearing friction machine used in the tests provided a method of measuring the frictional loss in a journal bearing when operating under different conditions of load on the bearing, speed of shaft and viscosity of the oil, and by correlating these facts in a suitable manner a comparison of the performances of different lubricants with a given bearing was obtained.

Friction Loss Same.

This comparison of the performance of straight mineral oils and that of the same oils, plus a small percentage of a very fine abrasive, showed that under very light conditions of service the friction loss of the bearing is about the same when using either the straight mineral oil or the oil plus abrasive.

At more severe operating conditions, however, the friction loss when using oil plus abrasive was shown to be greater than when operating under identical conditions with the straight oil. This difference increases as the severity of operating conditions is increased, it was explained.

"These results indicate that there is at least a promising field for further research with reference to the factors affecting the wear of journal bearings," the report points out.

Cheapest Plan to Have Your Old Car Made New

Apparently the average motorist is too busy poring over catalogues and buying cars to give thought to what it costs to have his old car made as good as new. As car owners become more economical and settle down to the idea of buying a good car and keeping it in good condition it is anticipated that a new light will dawn.

Frequently cars are traded in because owners feel that their property has become obsolete, but this usually is proof of lack of foresight in buying. In most instances, cars are turned in because there is a knock in the motor, the clutch is troublesome or the universal rattles. The owner takes a loss of many hundreds of dollars in depreciation when he might have an entirely satisfactory car simply by installing a new part.

The manufacturer's list price for a clutch of popular make is \$91.32. This includes a flywheel and universal joint shell. One hundred and twenty-five dollars buys a complete transmission for a certain six-cylinder car. A whole engine, six-cylinder type, complete with carburetor, clutch, flywheel, pumps, starter, generator, distributor and all that goes with it can be had for \$450.

And these are manufacturer's list prices which generally are regarded as being absurdly high.

Be Specific in Getting Repairs for Your Auto

When discussing the mechanical features of the car with a repairer, or when ordering spare parts, it is highly important to be specific. There are many parts of the automobile bearing similar or identical names.

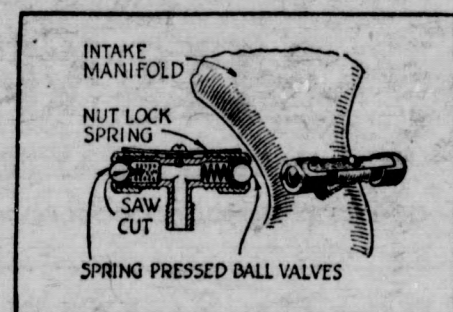
A car owner might speak of having burned out or damaged the "resistance." But that does not help the repairer nor the parts department. There is a resistance unit in the primary circuit of the ignition system, and another resistance unit for dimming the headlights.

The word "bearings" is too loosely used. Car owners should say "wheel bearing," "connecting-rod bearing," depending upon circumstances. It saves mistakes.

The small lever on the steering post with which one can feed gas to the engine is not the "throttle." It is one of two "throttle controls." The accelerator is the other. That big member supporting the rear of the car is not the rear axle. It is the "axle housing." In each such housing there are two "live axles."

Homemade Air Valve to Increase Gas Mileage

A properly adjusted spring controlled air valve in the manifold between the carburetor and the cylinder head will materially increase your gasoline mileage. The illustration shows how to make such a device from standard parts. An ordinary solderless union



How to Make an Automatic Air Valve to Increase Your Gas Mileage.

tee of the type used in gasoline lines forms the body. A light spring and a ball bearing of suitable size are placed in each end of the tee under the nut, which can be turned to adjust the tension of the spring. A flat spring screwed to this will keep the nuts from turning.—Popular Science Monthly.

Rough Roadways Are Big Help to Wear of a Tire

Why do car owners worry so over the matter of tire treads? Of course, it does not help matters to slide wheels and thus virtually sandpaper off the treads. It does not pay to go around corners on two wheels. It does not pay to run with wheels out of line. But the real wear is not on the outside. It's in the cords, especially in the walls.

When a tire strikes 1,000 bumps and dips in a mile of driving, internal friction is at a high point. It causes the average tire to disintegrate rapidly and weakens the best of them. By picking out a smoother road and saving 500 rough spots, a tire will flex 5,000,000 instead of 10,000,000 times in the course of 10,000 miles. Other things being equal, it is the same as doubling its life.

AUTOMOBILE HINTS

Cheap gasoline is as welcome as manna to the autumn tourists.

The gasoline tax hits the motorist who in turn hits the pedestrian.—Florence (Ala.) Herald.

France says synthetic gasoline is a reality, but you won't be able to buy it with synthetic money.

When the hit-and-run driver steps on the gas he treads his conscience under foot at the same time.

CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

State gasoline revenues under the new three-cent levy adopted by the legislature which is believed certain of signature by Governor Young, will aggregate in excess of \$24,000,000 per year, it is estimated by financial experts. Increased travel in the state, it was pointed out, jumped receipts under the two-cent tax for the quarter just ended to \$4,332,586.62. This was a gain of \$382,564.27 over the corresponding period a year ago. Under the two-cent tax the receipts are divided equally between the state and the various counties for highway construction work, but the additional cent tax will be used exclusively by the state for new construction.

"Flunked" in his final examinations, Khumar Shri Madhavshiji, prince of Kathiwar, India, and reported to be a former school mate of the Duke of York, is en route to England, where arrangements are being made for his marriage to a princess of his native land. It was learned at the State College of Agriculture at Davis, where the prince has been a student during the last fifteen months. The prince left for London, traveling by way of Washington, where he said he had a luncheon engagement with President Coolidge. College authorities said the prince has indicated he will make the trip back from India next year to take the tests over again.

The stork ran a losing race in California last year, falling below the totals reported for the preceding twelve months, the state bureau of vital statistics has disclosed. Births for the year totaled 83,372. Los Angeles county reported 31,036 new native sons and daughters as compared with 32,627 in 1925; San Francisco 8,342 as against 8,657; Alameda county, 6,739 against 6,874; and San Diego county 3,112 as compared with 3,181 in the preceding period. Wedding bells chimed with increasing frequency, however, according to the state report, the 1926 marriage total being 56,664 as compared to 55,081 the year previous.

A number of feature entertainments are planned for the open air theater seating 1500, constructed as a part of the Sportsman's Exposition being held on San Francisco's Marina from May 14 to 22. The theater is constructed at the base of the scenic mountain ranges and has been given a natural setting to make it look like a forest theater. It is used for lectures and motion pictures illustrating the varied attractions of Northern California as a sportsman's paradise, for style shows, for meetings and demonstrations.

An investigation was ordered at Folsom state penitentiary following announcement by Warden Court Smith that a cache of crudely made counterfeit coins, ranging from quarters to dollars, has been discovered in the prison stone quarry. The cache of thirty odd coins, hidden in a crevice under tons of high piled granite, was believed by prison officers to be part of the supply manufactured two years ago during the counterfeiting operations for which H. D. Welch, a former guard, was sent to federal penitentiary.

Recent auction of Rudolph Valentino's personal effects returned \$96,654, according to a report filed in probate court at Los Angeles by George Ullman, executor of the screen actor's estate. The largest individual sum was derived from the sale of Valentino's Isotta Franchini automobile, which brought \$7,900. His power boat Phoenix sold for \$3,200 and his Avian Voisin motor for \$2,200. Numerous items still remain unsold, Ullman said.

Work has started on the branch line the Southern Pacific company will build up the Yuba river to tap the rich fruit section in the river bottoms. The new branch will be built on top of an old levee and branches off south of the Yuba river bridge going east for five miles. The terminal will be on the property of the Earl Fruit Company, which has developed a pear orchard of more than 300 acres.

Shasta county has paid C. J. Winters and two sons of Oak Run \$200 for killing forty coyotes in three days. Twenty-one coyote pups were taken from one hole. Three of the forty coyotes were grown, but the others were all pups. Winters and his sons work on the farm on week days, but they hunt coyotes Sundays. Just now coyote hunting is paying better than farming.

J. D. Reynolds, rector of the Emmanuel Episcopal church of Grass Valley for the past few years, has resigned and will return to London to take charge of a former parish there. He served as a chaplain with the British army during the world war.

Apocryph of the Nevada gold discovery at Weepah, one of the most startling gold scares in history was started at W. R. Hearst's ranch at San Simeon, Calif., by Sid Grauman, Los Angeles picture house owner. One idle afternoon Grauman rubbed the brass off a new door hinge onto a rock, left it lying on the ground and casually called a workman's attention to it. He thought it was gold, and, along with some dozens of his colleagues working on the main ranch building, suspended work and went prospecting. It was days before the work force could be reassembled.

The Napa Flower and Garden club will hold its annual flower show May 14.

At a special election approval was given to a proposed bond issue of \$38,000 to provide a new municipal water system for the city of Williams. The present system has been condemned by the state board of health.

High-flying romance came to an aerial culmination last week when Dorothy Lee Weston, youthful burn-haired dancer, and D. A. Templeman, commercial aviator, were married in an airplane high over Redwood City.

The first shipment of cherries of commercial value left the Sacramento river yesterday. They were from the ranch of E. D. Turner at Isleton and were of the Purple Guigne variety. Two boxes were consigned for auction points in the east.

The West Coast Theaters, Inc., of San Francisco, is contemplating the building of a theater in Oroville. It will have a seating capacity of 1,200 and will cost more than \$500,000 with the exterior furnishings. An architect has not yet been selected.

Alex Mosley, Crescent City lumberman and politically prominent there with his two sons, Harold and Laurence, have been indicted by the grand jury for first degree robbery in connection with the sensational holdup of the Liberty Bank branch, October 15, 1926.

Aphis of many different varieties have appeared in swarms in various parts of the San Joaquin Valley. In Kern county ladybirds are being imported to combat the pests. In Fresno county Fred P. Rouillard, the county horticultural commissioner, has advised a contact spray.

The discovery of new oil pools at Long Beach and the attendant construction of oil apparatus boosted the building permit records of Long Beach to \$1,182,300 for the month of April. In view of the fact that only \$490,000 was recorded here for April, 1926, the April amount is a considerable rise.

One of the largest eruptions seen on Lassen Peak in many years started at 4 o'clock in the morning of May 4. Smoke from the crater poured forth for 45 minutes, rolling high into the sky. A strong wind then carried the smoke clouds southward. No rumbling was heard by valley inhabitants.

Dr. Kurt Ziegler, German consul-general at San Francisco, will take a two months' leave of absence beginning July 3, according to announcement made last week. Emil Wiehl, first secretary of the German embassy in Washington, will be sent here to take charge of Dr. Ziegler's office during his absence.

Miss Myrtle Larher has the distinction of being the first woman ever sentenced in Nevada county to a jail term for driving an automobile while intoxicated. On pleading guilty to the charge, she was given a \$300 fine or a like number of days in the county bastille. Not being able to pay the fine she went to jail.

The packing house district of Watsonville, "The Apple City," was swept by fire last week with a loss estimated at from \$150,000 to \$300,000. The flames destroyed ten packing houses, twelve residences and three box cars loaded with lettuce. For a time the whole western section of the city was menaced.

Married at nineteen, but now seventy-one, Mrs. Syriana Spooner, who resides five miles southwest of Willows, has become a grandmother for the fifty-third time. A son was recently born to one of her daughters, Mrs. Carl V. Taylor. Mrs. Spooner has seventy-one living descendants, including six great-grand children. Of her own sixteen children, twelve survive.

Mokelumne Hill, Tuolumne county, is rapidly becoming a center for numerous summer homes. John Heafy, millionaire contractor of Oakland, recently purchased eighty acres of land and the grounds are to be set out in golf course, tennis court, swimming pool and numerous outdoor features. Heafy plans to erect a \$25,000 summer home which promises to be modern in every respect.

Thoroughbred hogs from northern and southern California, many of them winners of trophies and ribbons in past competitions, paraded before an expert judges' committee last Saturday and Sunday at the show of the Peninsula Kennel club on the Clark estate at San Mateo. The entry list totaled more than 500, making the event the largest of its kind ever held on the Pacific coast.

A test well is to be drilled by Modesto people near Waterford about ten miles south of Oakdale, according to a report. The movement has started chiefly as a result of the striking of gas in water wells. The nearest drilling so far has been close to Oakdale near Knights Landing. One wildcat near Oakdale a few years ago went more than 4,200 feet. It failed commercially but has been reported as having had some showings.

Hope for the retention of the San Francisco land office faded when Edmund Robinson, assistant register, received orders from Washington to report for duty at the Sacramento office July 1. Since it was announced several weeks ago that the San Francisco land office would be consolidated with that at Sacramento and the Visalia office merged with the one in Los Angeles, chambers of commerce and other organizations have made vigorous protests to Washington. The consolidation is made for economic reasons, the interior department announces.

Youngster Set on Mission in Life

A Butler coed had been out riding with her aunt who was not considered the most careful driver in the world.

"Aren't you afraid to ride through downtown traffic with Aunt Mag?" the college girl's mother asked her.

"No, I'm not," came the flip answer. "Anyway, what if we do have an accident and I get killed, I'd just as soon die now as any other time."

"Why, Catherine, you ought to be ashamed of yourself, talking like that. You should have some great ambition and want to live," advised her thirteen-year-old sister, a light in the freshman class at Shortridge high school, who had been listening to the conversation.

"Well, I'm sorry, but I'd just as soon die as not," replied the world-weary college student.

"Not I," rejoined her sister. "I'm going to live and raise a family."—Indianapolis News.

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Mixture of Races

The Welsh are a Celtic people. At the time of the coming of the Romans in 55 B. C. the natives of Wales represented a mixture of the primitive Iberians and the later invading Celts, all bearing the general name of Cymry. Afterward the Celtic inhabitants of Britain took refuge in Wales, where they were driven westward by the Anglo-Saxons. In time they merged with the natives.

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Telephones in Australia

Approximately 40,000 new telephones were installed in Australia during the fiscal year 1925-26, making the total now in use 103,000, or about 6.73 telephones for every 100 of population, according to a statement by the postmaster general of Queensland.

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Edison's Opportunity

Mr. Edison, working on rubber culture in Florida, still has time to get up a cross between the India rubber and the clover plants, so that the farmers can have waterproof hay.—Boston Transcript.

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Mrs. Ernest Tanguay of Adams, Mass., says she was ill for four years and could not sleep nights or go out on the street. She read about the Vegetable Compound and decided to try it. After taking eight bottles she was able to do all her work and go anywhere and is quite herself again. This dependable Vegetable Compound is a household word in thousands of homes. The fourth generation is now learning the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Wolf Told in Ontario

By the use of a specially designed snare, during the month of November, Ontario trappers took 652 wolves, on which the government pays bounties, says the Dearborn Independent. From November, 1925, to June, 1926, more than 3,000 wolves were killed in the province.

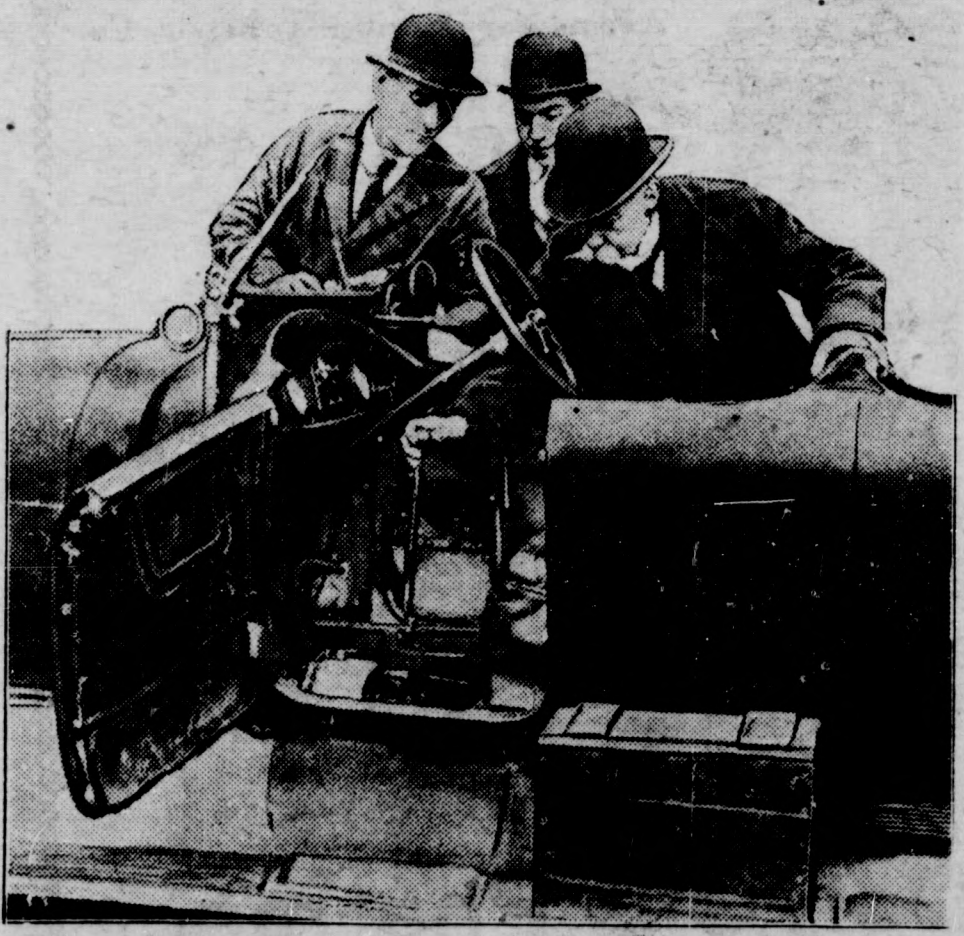
Just Listen

Wilson—My son is taking saxophone lessons.
Jenkins—I'm glad to hear it.
Wilson—You should be glad because you're not hearing it.

That's All

"How many men have you working for you?"
"You're speaking to him."

GEARLESS CAR IS INVENTED IN SCOTLAND



Mr. James Fraser of Glasgow has invented a gearless motor car. Based upon the turbine principle, the invention takes the form of a series of revolving blades, which, through the medium of a liquid, transmits the power of the engine to another series of blades connected to the rear axle drive. The photograph shows Mr. Fraser, the inventor (right), Mr. Soensen, engineer (left), and Mr. Miller (draughtsman) with the car.

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ARE YOU A SENSIBLE WOMAN?

It may astonish the housekeepers of this country to learn that most fires occur in homes and that most fires start in the kitchens. The loss and damage to homes in insured city dwellings amount to about \$65,000,000 a year, a very large percentage being preventable. About 15,000 persons are burned to death each year in the United States, a majority of the victims being women and children.

An educational leaflet issued by the National Board of Fire Underwriters observes that the numerous fatalities due to carelessness in handling of matches, gas, kerosene, gasoline, electrical attachments and numerous other articles, make it astonishing that any sensible woman would use kerosene or gasoline to accelerate a sluggish fire.

RUMORS ARE DENIED

Rumors charging the State Department with suppressing news from China which would sway public opinion towards firmer action have been denied by Secretary Kellogg. He said that "the State Department has, from the beginning, given out every particle of news, not only on the Nanking affair but on all subjects affecting American citizens and the attitude of China towards them."

The responsibility of shaping the policy of the United States towards China has been assumed by President Coolidge and Secretary Kellogg instead of permitting it to be shaped for them by the diplomatic corps in Peking. It has been stated that American Minister MacMurray is in favor of a strong aggressive policy more in keeping with the British policy, while the State Department advocates conciliatory measures.

Political writers are again amusing themselves by picking presidential impossibilities.

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FRIDAY, MAY 13

This month we have another Friday the 13th, long regarded by the superstitious as a particularly unlucky day, as both Friday and the number 13 are supposed to have a sinister portent.

But so far as the history of America is concerned, it appears that this idea entirely fails to hold true. Columbus sailed on his voyage of discovery on Friday and sighted the New World on Friday. The Pilgrim fathers sailed from England on Friday, and George Washington was born on Friday. The battle of Saratoga, turning point of the Revolution, ended with the surrender of Burgoyne on Friday. Cornwallis surrendered Yorktown on Friday—just to mention a few of the instances favorable to us which occurred on that day of the week.

Our 13 stripes in Old Glory, representing the 13 original states, have been carried to victory in every war in which we have ever been engaged. France determined on the 13th of June, 1778, to aid the American colonists in the struggle for independence. The cornerstone of the White House was laid on the 13th of October, 1792, and so on.

America's greatest living soldier, General John Joseph Pershing, was born on Friday, September 13, 1860, and he could hardly be classed as unlucky, either personally or in his achievements in behalf of his country.

So, don't worry over what may happen on Friday, May 13th, unless you just have to worry about something and have nothing else to worry about.

THE CIVIL LEGION

Composed of civilians who rendered service to the government during the World war, the new Civil Legion has been organized with a view to co-operation with the military forces of the country in the event of another national emergency.

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None can deny that the service organizing industry for war, in self-rendered by this "civilian army" in ing Liberty bonds, in providing relief and comforts for the combatant army, and in many other ways, was an indispensable part of America's mighty war effort. By standing ready to perform a like service, should it be our misfortune to require it in the future, the Civil Legion will fulfill a high patriotic duty.

MORE FUNDS NEEDED

The Mississippi river, continuing its rampage, has driven thousands of people from their homes and left them destitute. The welfare of these unfortunate people is dependent upon quick relief being brought to them by people in other parts of the country.

President Coolidge has issued an appeal to the nation to increase the contributions for these stricken people to a minimum of \$10,000,000. He concluded his appeal by urging all citizens "to give promptly and most generously, so that sufficient funds may be received to alleviate the suffering among so many thousands."

DESIRES CORDIAL RELATIONS

The disturbances in Mexico are unimportant and the government is strong enough to quell them and punish the guilty parties, it is announced by President Calles.

Commenting on President Coolidge's speech in New York, he said that there was a great desire to maintain cordial relations between Mexico and this country, and at the bottom of the difficulties "there is nothing more than a misunderstanding or divergence of judgment in appreciating matters of legal order, which really has not affected the legitimate interests, nor, fortunately, injured the sentiment of the nation, nor brought any injury to our decorum."

"It is not only possible," he added, "but easy, to reach an amicable settlement, and using Mr. Coolidge's own words, as carried by the newspapers, 'I believe that the two countries should comport themselves in such a way that their friendly relations are not impaired.'"

A recent press dispatch from Mexico states that the socialist party of southeast Mexico held a convention to nominate as candidate for the next president of Mexico, General Alvaro Obregon.

LEVEES TOO WEAK

As a chain is only as strong as its weakest link, so is a levee only as strong as its weakest point. That there were many weak points along the levees of the Mississippi river and its tributaries is evidenced by the terrible toll in lives and property exacted by the present floods.

Levees which are too weak to withstand any possible flood pressure are worse than none, because they give to the menaced population a false sense of security. Many lives were lost in the recent floods because people trusted the levees to hold, and they did not hold. Then when they gave way it was too late for the victims to escape.

If the people of the Mississippi valley are not to live under a constant menace, it appears that the entire system of flood control must be revised and enlarged. The damage wrought during the past month is staggering. It represents an amount which would have gone far toward affording adequate protection for this fertile region.

How to prevent the recurrence of such a calamity presents a serious national problem.

After reading his "Today" column for several years, we gather that Mr. Brisbane is gradually coming around to look with favor upon the airplane.

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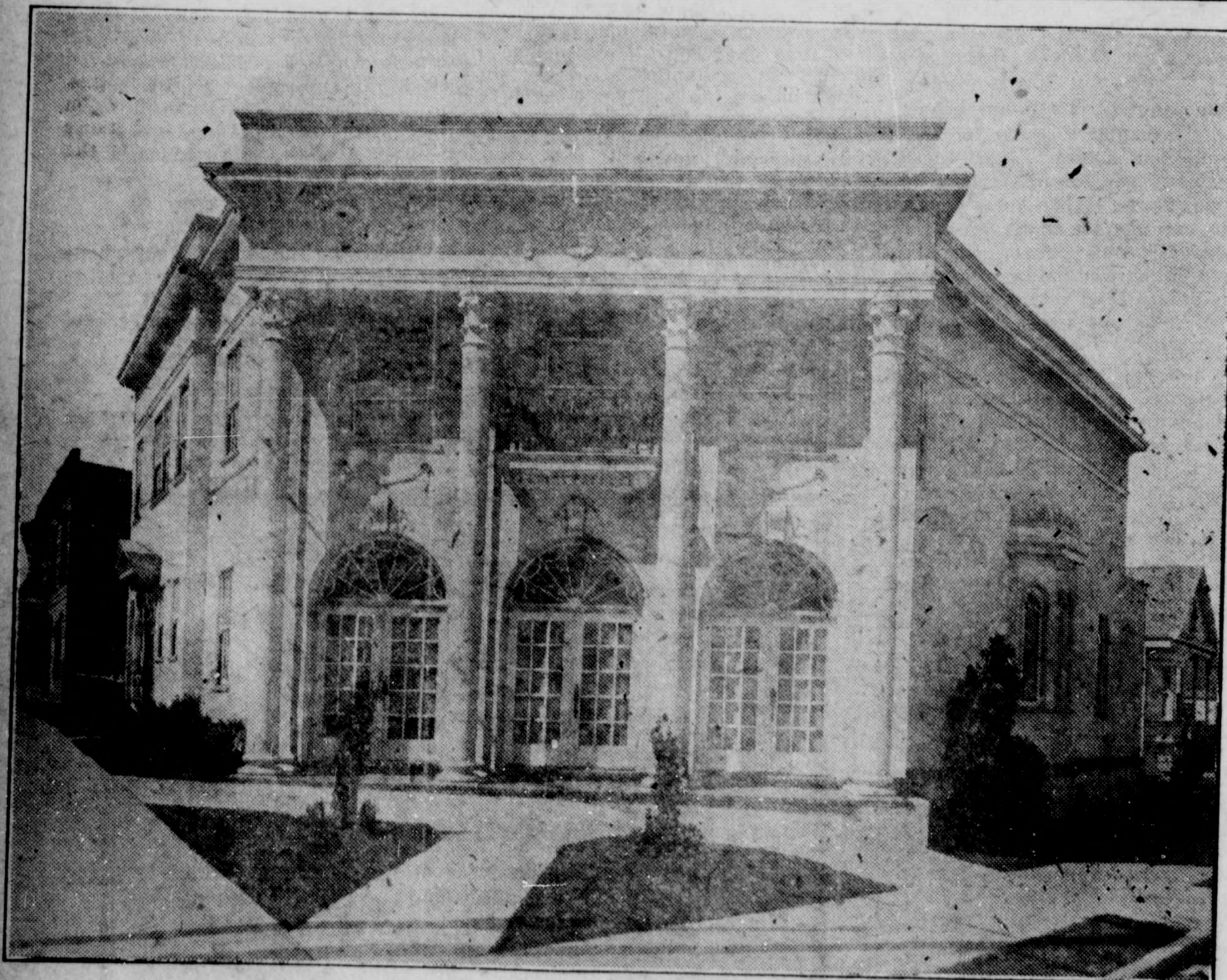
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Colma News Notes

The Colma Community Center whist party held last Saturday in the Center Hall was a big success.

The many school kiddies in this vicinity who are sick are reported as doing nicely and hope to return to their school duties soon.

An informal whist will be held by the members of the Girls' Club of Colma at the home of Mrs. M. P. Henderson, next Thursday.

On Sunday afternoon, May 22, the Colombo Society will hold a dance in the Colombo Auditorium for the benefit of the initial fund for a new Holy Angels' church.

The Half Moon Bay Box and Drum Company is running a night shift now in their warehouse at Colma, to keep up with the demand for crates. Last week was the first trial of night work.

Next Saturday evening Miss Margaret Grady will become the bride of Mr. Harold Varni at Holy Angels' church, Colma. Miss Margaret Varni will be bridesmaid. Both of these young people are well known in the community and they have the best wishes of all their friends.

The baseball game last Sunday at the Jefferson high school was quite exciting, and well attended. The game was between the Colma Athletic Club and a team from the Wurdlitzer Music Company. The score was 7 to 2 in favor of Colma. These games are enjoyed very much by the people of the community.

The Colma Volunteer Fire Department will hold its regular monthly whist next Saturday, May 21, in Jefferson Hall, Colma. Come out and boost the firemen.

A meeting will be held next Tuesday by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Community Center at the Center Hall, to make plans for a monster whist in June.

Don't forget the big May Festival by the children of Holy Angels' church on next Friday and Saturday, May 20 and 21, in the Colombo Auditorium. All receipts are to be used for the initial fund for the new church.

Miss Elsie Wilke, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilke of Colma, and a popular member of the Girls' Club of Colma, writes from Yosemite Valley, where she is spending part of her vacation. Miss Wilke is an employee of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company at San Francisco.

Olive Grove No. 116, United Ancient Order of Druids, held an installation of officers on Friday, May 6, in Jefferson Hall. The following took their new offices: William Lagomarsino, Noble Arch; Edward Mooney, Vice-Arch; Carl Schwartz, Recording Secretary; William J. Savage, Financial Secretary; Louis Nava, Treasurer; Will Poppino, Noble Orate; Fred Bauer, Noble Bard; P. Benassini, Inner Guard; J. Christen, Outer Guard. Past Noble Arch Stephen Pfeiffer was presented with a beautiful token, he being the outgoing Past Noble Arch of last term. William J. Savage made the presentation speech.

Every member of the Holy Angels' parish is working hard on various benefits for the initial fund of Holy Angels' new church. The new edifice will cost about \$50,000. From \$20,000 to \$40,000 is needed in the initial fund before construction can begin. All the money from these benefits is being kept under a separate account, and when the necessary sum has been secured, work will begin. The present Holy Angels' church was built about 1860, and it is nearly 60 years old. Surely a new church is needed.

Mrs. Pauline Shinazy, a charter member of the Girls' Club of Colma, entertained all directors, officers and members at a delicious spread on Thursday evening of last week. The Shinazy home was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the table decorations were pansies, arranged very artistically. The spacious dining room was a very happy scene when all gathered and enjoyed Mrs. Shinazy's hospitality. Selections were enjoyed over the radio during much chatter and merry-making. Those present were Directors Mrs. M. P. Henderson and Mrs. A. M. Sheldon, of San Francisco; Mesdames Pauline Shinazy, Lucile Lemon, of Daly City; Pauline Chaine, Katherine Berticella, of San Francisco, formerly of Colma; and Josephine Lambertson; Misses Fabian Ver Linden, Emily Wilke, Estelle Atkinson, Emma Marshall, Violet Ver Linden, Sylvia Anderson, Bertha Thiel, Annie Kennedy, Elsie Wilke, Alice Thiel, Alice May, Albina Garibaldi. The time passed all too quickly, and a happy good time was had by all in attendance. The club's regular business meeting will take place during the month.

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No industry is more representative of democracy than the telephone; it serves all on the same basis and with the same courtesy. No other industry has a greater distribution of its stocks and bonds among its employees and the people of the nation.—Exchange.

ACCIDENTS

The word "accident" by derivation means something which "falls across." Falls across what? Why, some orderly procedure! Accident implies an order violated. If there were no order in the world there would be no accidents, for all events would then be equally casual. Order implies purpose. A bad adventure is one contrary to order and purpose. It results in an accident. Cross a street absent-mindedly and in violation of the order of traffic. You wake up in an ambulance. That's a bad adventure, according to the National Safety Council.

BOYS AND GIRLS

Mildred Russell, now 17, whose leg was amputated after an accident when she was 13, manages the community hall and theatre at Benton City, Mo., with much success.

Marion Contario of Rheims, France, claims to be the youngest motorcyclist in the world, riding a machine especially built for him, at the age of 3½ years.

Dorothy F. Brown, 15-year-old girl of Kamloops, B. C., was awarded a Carnegie bronze medal for saving Mrs. Ida McNeil from drowning several months ago.

Sammy Czigan, of New Concord, Ohio, aged 11, killed a large rattlesnake with a stone one day during the latter part of February, after the reptile had wrapped itself about his leg.

Fifteen doctors declared 9-week-old Mildred Pinkenfeld, of Brooklyn, to be the most perfect baby in Greater New York.

Eiko Tsuruta, a Tokyo school girl, won the prize offered by Prince Tokugawa, president of the American-Japanese Society, for her essay on the life of Abraham Lincoln.

Little Nancy Greenhall, a London hospital patient, amused Queen Mary, who visited the ward, by asking: "Where's your crown?"

Harmon Loeb, son of a Chicago physician, walked unaided across a room at the age of five weeks, which is thought to be a record for a human baby.

Mistrial in Sapiro-Ford million-dollar suit because a lady juror talked too much. Who'd have thought it.

Gem of Poetic Fancy Is 'America's Making'

This interpretation of the United States, titled "America's Making," was written some years ago by Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver of the Temple, Cleveland. It has been widely copied and quoted.

"God built him a continent of glory and filled it with treasures untold;

"He studied it with sweet flowing fountains and traced it with long winding streams;

"He carpeted it with soft rolling prairies and columned it with thundering mountains;

"He graced it with deep-shadowed forests and filled them with song,

"Then he called unto a thousand peoples and summoned the bravest among them,

"They came from the ends of the earth, each bearing a gift and a hope, "The glow of adventure was in their eyes, and in their hearts the glory of hope,

"And out of the bounty of earth and the labor of men;

"Out of the longing of hearts and the prayer of souls;

"Out of the memory of ages and the hopes of the world,

"God fashioned a nation in love, blessed it with purpose sublime, and called it America."

Could Credited With French-Fried Potatoes

Like all others who take delight in a platter of crisp, hot French fried potatoes, I always supposed this particular way of preparing them was originated by some eminent French chef in the distant long ago, until along came one of those fellows who are always digging into history and finding things to shatter our pet illusions.

According to his version, the French fried potato originated not in France but in New York. One day, so the story goes, Jay Gould dropped into Delmonico's restaurant in that city and said: "I want potatoes quartered and fried in deep fat." The desire to imitate the doings of a Gould probably caused the use of potatoes fried in this way to assume the proportions of a fad, although, unlike many other fads, this one survived. For years these were known simply as quartered potatoes. Then Delmonico took to slicing them thinner and called them by the name under which they are now known throughout the country.

Whatever may be said of Jay Gould as a financier and railroad builder, all lovers of French fried potatoes are under lasting obligations to this forceful American.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Early Tax Exemptions

Cows were exempt from taxation in Ohio under the act of February 3, 1825. That act was the first provision for general property taxation and there were many exemptions, certain kinds of property being regarded as important in a new settlement. However, the cow exemption covered only one cow in the name of any one owner. The exemption was to encourage every householder to have a cow. Among other forms of property exempted were factories producing nails, leather, glass, salt, cotton or woolen goods, grist and saw mills, paper mills and distilleries. Whisky seems to have been looked upon then as an indispensable product. To encourage purchase of lands in the state by settlers, the act provided that such lands should be free from taxation for five years after the purchase.—Detroit News.

Excuse Not All Bad

When I make an excuse for myself—and goodness knows I have made many of them—I always feel somewhat guilty. Yet I am not sure that the excuse habit is entirely without its good side. It evidences at least a disposition to make matters appear better than they really are, and this, in turn, evidences a pride or self-respect of a sort, which qualities are commendable to some extent. The difficulty lies in one's inability to repair consequences in this way. As Lem Gidge said to the family cow, "Your eyes are wellsprings of innocence and your bearing is that of blamelessness, but the milk's spilled and your foot's in the bucket just the same, dodblast you!"—Portland Oregonian.

Oldtime Home Brewing

Brewing beer was a respectable household task among families along the Tigris and Euphrates rivers 9,000 years ago. Evidence of this high antiquity of the craft of brewing and its place in ancient social systems of Babylon and Egypt has been traced by German scientists of the Society of History and Bibliography of Brewing.

There were laws about drinking in those days, the report shows. Certain rations of beer were allowed to each class of workers. Beer was also used in mixing medicines, and as an offering to the gods. Brewing was an organized business as early as 5000 B. C., it is stated.

Use of "Assignats"

The assignats or notes issued by the French revolutionary government between 1789 and 1793 were used as currency until they became valueless. They were issued on the security of lands of the crown, the church, the nobles and emigres, which had been appropriated, and they were inconvertible except in payment for the public lands. The total issue of assignats was over 45,000,000,000 francs.

CAREFUL OF CHILDREN AT PLAY ON STREETS

Though children are being taught daily the dangers of playing in the streets, spring weather is bringing an increased number of youngsters on thoroughfares, a situation which places a special responsibility on the motorists to exercise extra precautions.

"In the interest of safety, every motorist should pledge himself to drive with care where children are playing," declares Percy E. Towne, chairman of the Automobile Association Public Safety committee, which recently inaugurated a plan of visual education in public schools to teach children to protect themselves in traffic.

"The first lesson in this traffic safety course is devoted to warning children against playing in the street," said Towne, "but it is unfortunate that in many sections play space for children is inadequate and the youngsters flock to the street because they have no other place for outdoor activities.

"Streets in residential sections are seldom a place for fast driving, and because children use them for play, particularly at this time of the year, they call for especial careful driving.

"Driving with care means proceeding somewhat more slowly, being more alert and keenly alive to what is going on around one, turning corners slowly, and always being ready to stop.

"The motorist, legally, may have the right-of-way over the youngster playing in the street, but no one should dispute his rights as a child."

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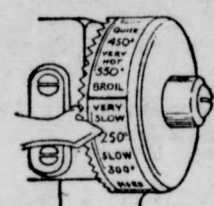
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CHAPTER VIII—Continued

"Time enough to draw a gun and back it up with a few sentences. It bears out what I've thought from the start—not an accidental meeting, but a date, to which the woman came unsuspecting and the other primed to kill."

"Then Mrs. Stokes got on to that date," said Williams, "and broke in on it. And there's only one person that date could have been with—Stokes."

Bassett's nerves were raw with strain and anxiety. This revelation of a rendezvous with Stokes maddened him:

"But it couldn't have been. I've told you. I knew Miss Saunders well. I know what she felt about the man, and besides I have the evidence of my own eyes that she avoided him in every way she could. Make an appointment to meet him alone! She'd as soon make an appointment with Satan."

Neither of the men answered him for a moment. Rawson was impressed; he had formed a high opinion of the director's candor and truthfulness and his words weighed with him:

"I go a good deal by what you say, Mr. Bassett, and as to this meeting of which I'm convinced—whom it was with I don't know. Williams here has made up his mind and worked out his case. I don't agree with him. I believe Mrs. Stokes is telling the truth. What she says hangs together all right. That she may know something is possible, but I don't think she's guilty."

"Then you must think it's Stokes," said Williams with some heat. "There's nobody else it could be."

Rawson considered before he spoke: "I don't see Stokes as deliberately murdering the woman he was in love with. That's generally an act of impulse, sudden desperation. And there was no impulse here. Careful premeditation—the stealing of the revolver, luring her to this summer house, the threats or rage when she got here that made her fly. It's more like the working out of revenge than the act of blind passion. Stokes doesn't look to me the kind of man that would kill so carefully. He's too soft."

"Then who is it?" Williams exclaimed. "Somebody killed her."

Rawson moved toward the doorway: "That's about all I'm willing to agree to at present. But I'd like to see Stokes again. He and his wife may know more than they say—I don't deny that—but she's got a better nerve than he has. We'll get him into the library and have a whack at him."

CHAPTER IX

Rawson was detailed to find Stokes and bring him to the library. A summons from the director would have an air of informality which might put Stokes off his guard.

Bassett found Flora and Shine on the balcony and heard that Stokes had gone to his room to try to get some sleep. He knocked on the door and to a gruff "Come in" entered to find Stokes lying on the bed. He rose quickly, exhibiting the same alacrity his wife had shown earlier in the day.

"Of course," he said. "I'm ready to come whenever they want me. In fact I've been lying here expecting it, going back over last evening, trying to think of anything I may have overlooked that might help them."

There was a willing brusqueness in his manner, an almost hearty readiness to do what was asked of him that seemed not quite genuine, adopted, perhaps, to hide the natural nervousness of a person in his position. Seated in an easy chair before the two men, Bassett back of them by the window, noticed that his hands were restless, smoothing and pulling at his clothes, settling his tie. Despite his disquiet he assumed an attitude of expectant attention, gravely awaiting their will, his eyes glancing from one to the other. He might readily have been a guilty man primed for attack, or an innocent one shaken by the untoward circumstances in which he found himself.

Rawson's manner was friendly and reassuring. They wanted to get all possible information on the movements of the company the evening before. They would like to know just what he had done from the time he entered the house to change his clothes to the time when he had heard the shot.

He answered promptly with businesslike directness. Went to his room, changed his clothes, laid on the bed, resting for a while, then sat on the balcony reading the paper.

While he was sitting there Miss Saunders must have passed the end of the balcony by the path that led to the Point.

She must have, but he had not seen her, being occupied with his paper. Had he while in the house seen Miss Saunders or heard her voice?

He had not. He had no idea she had come in.

Had he seen his wife?

"My wife? Yes, I saw her for a moment. In the hall when I came out of our room after dressing."

"She said nothing to you about Miss Saunders being in the house?"

"Why no, she didn't know it. We didn't mention Miss Saunders at all."

"But she was—she had been—"



"Just Leave Our Business to Us, Mr. Stokes."

quent subject of conversation between you?"

His eyes, looking at Rawson, seemed to harden and grow more fixed:

"We had talked of her—naturally, being in the same company."

"Your wife and Miss Saunders were not very friendly?"

A fierce light rose in the fixed eyes, the nostrils widened.

"What are you getting at, Mr. Rawson?"

"Our business, Mr. Stokes. We're here to investigate a murder and we can't spare people's feelings or shut our eyes to disagreeable facts."

"Have I shown any signs of expecting that? I've put myself at your disposal, my wife has. We're ready to give you any help we can, but I'm not ready to back up any d-d suspicions that have been put into your mind."

"We're not asking you to," said Rawson. "But we know what was going on here before the shooting."

Bassett spoke up:

"I'm the person that told them, Aleck. It had to be done. They had to be acquainted with the whole situation, and they got it from me. But they heard no lies, no suppositions—you know you can trust me for that."

Stokes' glance shifted to him. Through its savage defiance Bassett could detect the torment of his soul, despairingly betrayed to the one person he knew would be just.

"Oh, I'm not blaming you," he answered. "You couldn't do anything else. And they can hear it all from me." He looked at the two men. "I'm willing to tell. I was in love with her, madly, like a fool, hounded her, dogged her footsteps. You've heard that. And my wife was jealous—so jealous they all could see. You've heard that, too."

The confession of his passion, remorseless in its bitter revelation, was horrible, like the tearing aside of wrappings from a raw wound.

"Yes, we've heard it," muttered Williams.

"She hated me. I don't know whether you've heard that, too, but I'm telling you and perhaps you'll believe what I say if it's against myself. She hated me, and I wouldn't let her alone. My wife was jealous. Do you see—is it clear? Oh, we're in d-d bad, my wife and I, but we're not in so bad as you're trying to make out." He jumped to his feet, the shine of sweat on his forehead.

"I don't see, Mr. Stokes," said Rawson quietly, "where you get that. We haven't made out anything yet."

"Oh, I can see. We were the only people outside the house—that's enough to build a theory on. And motives—who had a motive? That's the way you go to work. Find a motive, fit someone to it. My wife had a motive, that's sufficient. Don't ask what kind of woman she is, don't look any further, you have to get someone and she's the easiest."

"Mr. Stokes, if you'd take this calmly—"

"Calmly! Seeing what you think and where you're trying to land us! But just let me ask you something. Do you happen to remember there were five hundred people on the island that afternoon? Any kind of person could have been here on any kind of errand."

Rawson answered with a slight show of impatience: "Just leave our business to us, Mr. Stokes. You're here to answer questions."

"Oh, that's plain—questions all pointing one way. But there were other people on the island besides that crowd—besides us—who might have had a motive. Isn't anger a motive?"

"Anger!" ejaculated Williams. "Where does that come in?"

"Here, on Gull Island. Oh, we've had more than jealousy. Rage and spite will go as far. Take your eyes off my wife and me for a moment—look somewhere else."

Rawson's face showed no surprise, blankly inscrutable, but Williams wheeled in his chair and turned an expression of startled inquiry on Bassett. Bassett, in his turn, was staring in astonishment at Stokes.

"What are you talking about?" he said. "Rage and spite—whom do you mean?"

"I mean Joe Tracy," was the answer.

"Joe Tracy!" exclaimed Williams, looking vaguely about in a baffled searching of memory. "Who's he?"

"Good God, Aleck!" Bassett made a step forward: "Get a hold on yourself—think of what you're saying. He wasn't here, he'd left the island before that."

Stokes paid no attention but went on, glaring into Rawson's expressionless face:

"A d-d devil of a boy with a record. Ask him," he pointed to Bassett, "ask any of them what kind he was and how he acted here. It isn't I alone that saw it. Yesterday morning at the rehearsal he'd have struck her if Bassett hadn't interfered. What was the matter—I don't know. I don't pretend to know everything, but I know rage and hate when I see them."

"Aleck, you're crazy," Bassett's voice was raised in exasperated insistence: "He'd gone."

"Couldn't he come back? Aren't there boats to be hired at Hayworth?" He turned to Rawson. "I don't accuse him, I'm not like you, I don't jump at conclusions, point and say, 'There's the murderer!' But I want a square deal and I won't get it till you've looked up Joe Tracy. Call your dogs back from the scent they're on and put them on his. Justice—that's all I ask for—justice for my wife. For myself—" He stopped.

His excitement seemed suddenly to die. He looked old and wearied, his body relaxed, the fire in his sunken eyes extinguished in a profound gloom. "It doesn't matter what happens to me. I've thrown everything away—and Sybil's dead."

There was a slight pause. Rawson broke it, clearing his throat and rising from his chair:

"That's enough for the time being, Mr. Stokes. You can go now, if we want you we'll call on you later."

Without a word Stokes turned and left the room. When the door had closed on him Bassett said:

"He's out of his mind—Joe Tracy—when he knows he wasn't here."

Williams gave a bearish shrug:

"Oh, pshaw, what's the matter with him's easy to size up. Breaking down, losing his nerve. Whether he knows his wife did it or not he sees everything points there and he's just laying hold of anything to mark time. They go like that—I've seen 'em before."

Rawson, who had been standing with his hands deep in his pockets and his eyes fixed on the floor, moved to the chair:

"Let's hear about this boy, Mr. Bassett—all this anger and hate business he's been buzzing round."

He sat down and lit a cigar. Through the smoke he watched Bassett with a narrowed glance as the director unfolded the story of Joe, the quarrel and Sybil's accusation.

When it was over Rawson knocked the ash from his cigar, meditatively looking at the crumbling gray heap:

"Are you under the impression, Mr. Bassett, that her story was true—that the boy had been spying on her?"

"I don't know. Of course she was in a high-keyed emotional state that might engender unjust suspicions. On the other hand you couldn't trust his word, and there was big money offered."

"And when you returned to New York you would have found it out."

"Yes, I told him that."

"And he would have realized that it would go hard with him, where you were concerned, and with the rest of the profession?"

"Yes, he'd know. She was very popular and there was a general sympathy for her."

Williams stretched and rose from his chair:

"Well, it's all right to gather up everything, but it doesn't get us any further. If the boy'd been here, seeing what he was and how he felt, there might be something in it. But as he got out before the shooting it leaves us just where we were before. What do you think about going up and looking over that top story—routine business we ought to get through."

"Not now," Rawson moved to the door. "I'm going across to the mainland."

"Mainland—what's that for?"

"Look up some things—that boy's movements, for one. I'll take Patrick and the hunch and send him right back. Come down to the dock with me, Mr. Bassett, and tell me which way Tracy was going."

Bassett went with him feeling for the first time that he could give information with the tranquillizing assurance it would react on nobody. When he left Rawson at the dock he went to look for Anne.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Plant Enemies

According to pathologists of the United States Department of Agriculture there are 39 diseases that may attack rose bushes. The wheat crop, too, has its worries, being liable to 31 ailments. The corn plant has 28 and the tomato 42, while the apple has to contend with 63 possible maladies.

Uncertainty

"No one can know anything for certain," says the pessimist. "All you can do is to think." And half of us don't even go so far as that.

"Beware, my son, beware!"

"Stay away from Peterman's! It has killed your whole family!"



"DON'T walk through it. Don't smell it. Don't touch it. Go hungry for days first."

She's right. Peterman's Roach Food exterminates every roach in your house. Nothing is left but a little dry dust.

Some housewives make the mistake of fighting cockroaches with a spray. Those are the houses roaches stay in. They live down behind baseboards, under the floors. No spray can possibly reach them, or their young, or their eggs.

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United States Banks

Up to and including October 31, 1926, there have been authorized to begin business 13,001 national banking associations, of which 4,018 were voluntarily closed to discontinue business or amalgamated with other banks, state or national, including those consolidated with other national banking associations under authority of the act of November 7, 1918.

Old Form of "Ornament"

Tattooing is one of the most ancient of customs. It has been practiced in many parts of the world and is mentioned in the Bible in the book of Leviticus.

Pietly contains within it another word that constitutes the greater part of Christian conduct—piety.

We all seem to cluster around a manly, outspoken chap.

After the Ball

A dashing phase of every artist's ball is the home going. In the cold gray dawn of the morning after. Invariably it rains, and there is not a taxi in sight. Makeup and grease paint are running, parts of rented costumes are missing, wigs are lost, lovers are separated and husbands and wives are not speaking. Oh, what bliss, to mingle in gay, mad Bohemia!—Vanity Fair.

Granulated eyelids, sties, inflamed eyes relieved overnight by Roman Eye Balm. One trial convinces. 375 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

Enjoying It

Passer-by—Hey! You've got a bite! Fisherman—I know it. I'm prolonging the thrill.—Kansas City Times.

Natural heat from the Kilauea volcano is used to heat the superintendent's office in the Hawaii National park.



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Serious Oversight

When the citizens of Williston Park, L. I., went to the polls they were asked to vote on two proposals: to appropriate \$10,000 for a new fire house and to appropriate \$15,000 for a fire department. When the votes were counted, it was found that the first proposal had won, but that the voters had failed to provide for the apparatus.

Work produces virtue; virtue honor.

Reflected Vision

Some girls not only imagine vain things, but see them reflected when they look in the mirror.—Monroe (Ala.) Journal.

Stiff Luck

"What did you get on your birthday, Bobby?"
"Mumps."—Sydney Bulletin.

Recitation of bare, bald facts hardly constitutes conversation.

Oakland G. A. R. Veteran and Wife Regain Health

Aged Couple, Suffering Acutely from Rheumatism, Neuritis and Indigestion, Find Quick and Permanent Relief in Tanlac and Praise It Highly

"From the day I was fortunate enough to line up with Tanlac," says Mr. Emil Langhans, ex-cavalryman and retired customs official, "it has kept my health and strength up to highest standard."

Sitting in his comfortable home at 2219 107th Avenue, Oakland, Calif., Mr. Langhans told how Tanlac had re-oult strength and vigor for himself and his charming wife. "Tanlac worked wonders for my wife," he said. "She suffered from high blood pressure, neuritis and general run-down condition. Tanlac relieved her."

"I had sciatic rheumatism—suffered for five years with it—so that I could sleep but little, on account of the pain. Kidney trouble, indigestion and loss of appetite had reduced my strength to a low ebb."

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Old and young, from coast to coast, unite in praising this famous remedy of nature. Made of roots, barks and herbs, according to the exclusive Tanlac formula, it is an amazing tonic medicine. All good druggists sell Tanlac. Get a bottle today! Over 40 million bottles sold.



DISABLED WAR VETERANS TO LOSE INSURANCE RIGHTS

July 2, 1927, is the final date for World war veterans disabled as a result of service in the World war to take advantage of the greatest war time insurance sale ever offered by "Uncle Sam's" greatest bargain counter. Such veterans who are permanently and totally disabled need not apply. Every eligible disabled World war veteran should immediately write or telephone for this important information to the nearest local office of the United States Veterans' Bureau.

The San Francisco regional office is located at 814 Mission street, and the telephone number is Garfield 3466. Only fifty days to go. Remember, the absolute dead line is July 2, 1927.

PRINTERS TO CELEBRATE THIS SATURDAY NIGHT

The stage is all set for the big affair at the Civic Auditorium, San Francisco, this Saturday evening, May 14, where thousands of those engaged in the printing industry from all sections of the state, with their relatives and friends, are to gather to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of the formation of the Union Printer's Mutual Aid Society, the arrangements for the affair being under the auspices of a committee from that organization, various unions affiliated with the Allied Printing Trades Council, the Printers' Board of Trade and the Printing Salesmen's Guild.

An elaborate entertainment, concluding with a grand ball, are to be among the features of the evening's festivities. The acts to be presented are of a high class nature, the artists appearing being known entertainers from several of the leading theatres and movie show houses, as well as amateur vaudevillians of considerable local merit.

The Lybian Guard of San Francisco Pyramid No. 1, Ancient Egyptian Order of Sciois, is to open the program with an exhibition drill at 8:30. Among other attractions will be the Fanchon & Marco revue, participating in which will be a bevy of handsome young women. Rube Wolf will direct the music for the girls. Miss Ellen Rose and her fourteen dancing girls are to present the Black Bottom, Peacock and Hawaiian dances, and will introduce the Jingle Dance, a new one which will no doubt become most popular. Miss Marjorie Leborbeau, a clever danseuse, with a number of vocal and musical acts, are also on the program. Music for the grand ball is to be furnished by Phil Sapiro's well known Municipal band of forty pieces.

The admission price has been placed at 50 cents, and the general public is invited.

W. C. T. U. OPPOSE SMITH

The W. C. T. U. is preparing to wage a campaign against Al Smith should he receive the Democratic nomination for president. The campaign got under way with the announcement from national W. C. T. U. headquarters that "the W. C. T. U. will work to educate the people of the country that Al Smith is a wet and always will be."

"As an organization," said the letter to the state presidents, "the Woman's Christian Temperance Union has no part in the controversy in respect to religion. We are, however, vitally concerned that the man who is nominated and elected as the chief magistrate of the United States be a dry and be ready to fulfill his obligations in the execution of this law as of every other law."

"He may talk about law enforcement," it also stated, "but he has never done anything to promote law enforcement."

Moroccan Town Well Called City of Blind

Blindness, in Marrakech (Morocco), is a woefully prevalent affliction. Scores of sightless beggars line the streets, squat in the market places, and thread their way with uncanny assurance through the mazes of the souks. More often than not there are two of them together and in many cases they make their appeal for alms in groups of from four to a dozen.

With or without a crude musical instrument or two, they chant incessantly their pleas to the passer-by, conjuring him in the name of Allah to share his coppers with his brethren who cannot see. Hour after hour this hoarse chanting goes on, rhythmically, pantingly, unceasingly—until it is a wonder that the rasping vocal cords do not fray out like an old shoestring and refuse further service.

In his tour of the souks the visitor is led through a colorful arcade given over to dealers in the bright-hued cords from which the Arabs suspend their pouches and daggers. A little beyond the end of this covered passageway he is permitted to look at, but not enter, the mosque and sanctuary of Sidi Bel Abbas, the environs of which are peopled almost exclusively by the blind. Official figures are lacking, yet it may be said that the number of these unfortunates is estimated not in hundreds but in thousands. H. G. Wells once wrote a fantasy called "The Country of the Blind." Here is a City of the Blind in pitiful reality, with Sidi Bel Abbas as its patron saint.—Hamish McLaurin in "What About North Africa."

Mouth Kept Open to Protect Ear Drums

That an explosion may result in serious injury to the human ears is a well-known fact. Gunners often open their mouths to protect their ear drums while firing large guns, says a writer in the Pathfinder Magazine. When the mouth is open the air waves set in motion by the discharge of the gun enter the throat as well as the ears. Consequently the sudden pressure against the outside of the drums is counteracted by an equal pressure against the inside. Such, however, is not the practice in the United States navy. Men working in the turrets are well protected from concussion. Those in the more exposed positions usually use plectrums of cotton in their ears to protect the drums. Some use patent ear stoppers such as are manufactured by various commercial firms. Although special ear protectors and cotton are also used, at the coast artillery target practices it is a custom for the personnel taking part to open their mouths during the actual firing of the guns in order that the pressure on the ear drums may be equalized. The men also stand on their toes to relieve the body as much as possible of the shock of the explosion.

Emphatic Negatives

The redundant negative of which Sir Walter Raleigh made a spirited defense in his essays "On Writing and Writers," never is so daintily used in literature as in real life. A laborer, relates the Manchester Guardian, being given credit for groceries with a caution not to talk about it, replied: "If no one didn't tell no more about it nor what I do, they'll know no more nor what they do." The result is cumbersome but intelligible. So also was the inquiry of a sailor seeking a job:

"I s'pose, mate, you don't know nobody what don't want nobody to do nothing, do you?"

Ancient Dutch City

Utrecht, which gave its name to the treaty signed there 214 years ago, is the capital of the province of Holland bearing the same name as that of the city. It is an ancient place, which appears frequently in European history, and especially in the history of Holland's long and heroic struggle against the Spanish oppressors for civil and religious freedom. The city today has a population of about 115,000. It is a railway center, only 22 miles southeast of Amsterdam and a strategic point in the line of defensive inundations called the "New Holland Water Line."

Largest Lump of Silver

It is said that the largest lump of pure silver ever discovered was found by an Indian in Sonora, Mexico, when that province was still a possession of Spain. The lump of silver weighed 2,750 pounds. Because of a dispute over its ownership the entire mass was appropriated by the Spanish crown. Earl V. Shannon, assistant curator of geology in the National museum, states that this story is not impossible. He has authentic record of a lump of silver weighing 400 pounds. A lump of pure silver found in Peru weighed 800 pounds.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Female of the Species

Absent-mindedness is sometimes deadly, and doubly so in the female of the species. Or, possibly it wasn't absent-mindedness. Anyway, when Blimson left for the office the other morning his wife reversed a certain daily custom, or at least she got it mixed up with certain other domestic duties. As he passed out onto the front porch she was standing in the kitchen door with a skillet in her hand. And she hurled the skillet at him and threw a kiss at the cat, which was trying to climb up onto the kitchen table.

Hidden Treasure Mute Reminder of Tragedy

When installing a bathroom in an old house in Vienna not long ago, an attic was disclosed above a closet which was supposed to reach clear to the roof. In it were the remnants of an old baker's oven and a wooden dough trough covered with grain sacks bearing the date 1683. Beneath the trough were household effects that evidently had belonged to a well-to-do middle-class family, such as linen garments, dishes, cups, jewelry, 330 gold coins and 1,143 silver coins. Among the former were several ducats. The most recent of the coins were dated 1671, but most of them were far older. It seems practically certain that they represented the savings of a merchant who had hidden them there at the time of the Turkish invasion of 1683.

The most important find dating from the Thirteenth century was made in 1876, on the site of the oldest Jewish cemetery, at Krems on the Danube. These coins, which were discovered when extending a neighboring vineyard, consisted of thirty gold guldens, each weighing three and one-half grammes, from Florence, Hungary, Bohemia, Austria, Silesia and Lubek. They were discovered at the side of a skeleton, and several other coins were unearthed later near the same spot. It has been conjectured that they were buried during the persecution of the Jews in 1349.—Neues Wiener Tagblatt.

Scars Looked Upon as Marks of Honor

Scar decoration is a widespread practice. A wound is made in the body, and then prevented from healing until a raised scar has been produced. Practically all the Australian tribes favor this method—among others—of decorating the body. With some the custom is connected with certain taboos. As a youth grows older these taboos are successively removed, a new scar being added to mark each occasion. In any case the scars or cicatrices are rarely raised all at once. Usually the process is prolonged throughout the period of adolescence, one or two scars being "cultivated" at a time.

Originally these scars were probably received in battle, the recipients thereafter displaying them as marks of honor. From this the custom of cicatrization would have arisen.

Nowadays, however, the scars are regarded as an aid to beauty, and are cultivated by both sexes in many places. In the Andaman Islands, for instance, the women as well as the men decorate their backs in this way. It is the women, however, who perform the operation by means of broken glass.—Popular Science Monthly.

Smuggling as Sport

To a perverted feminine sporting instinct, rather than a desire to save money, is attributed the epidemic of silk smuggling into England from France, about which many amusing incidents have been related.

Women often tip two or three times the amount of the duty to accomplices who guarantee them success in getting their silks through the customs agents, according to the London Times. One such man is said to make "smuggling" for women a business. He gets the silks through by the simple expedient of declaring them and paying the duty, which amounts to less than half the stipulated reward.

Many women also go to much trouble, such as making themselves uncomfortable with several similar garments, to evade paying the duty on articles which actually are not dutiable.

Facts as to Suicide

Henpecked husbands may be surprised to know it, but suicide is more frequent among the unmarried than the married, according to a study of 307 cases made by Dr. S. Serin, a physician of Paris, and reported by the French correspondent of the American Medical association.

Suicide is resorted to as the way out of life's problems more frequently by men than by women and more often by the elderly rather than the merely adult, Doctor Serin finds. He divides the causes of suicide into five classes: insanity, alcoholism, severe grief, incurable disease and poverty.

Old Federal Bureau

The work of the bureau of engraving when started in 1862 by the first chief, with one male assistant and four female operatives, occupied one room in the attic of the west wing at Fifteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue, Washington. There was a gradual increase and by 1878 there was no additional space available for the growing bureau, and on June 30, 1878, congress appropriated \$300,000 for the purchase of the site at Fourteenth and B streets, southwest, for the erection of a building, which now stands. The building was completed and occupied July 1, 1880.

Wasps That Eat Metal

An insect known as the steel wood wasp can do considerable damage to lead.

A piece of pine wood infested with larvae of this wasp had been used as a core on which to roll some sheet lead. When, on reaching maturity, they attempted to escape, they cut through the lead instead of traveling lengthwise through the wood.

Each sheet of metal was one-tenth of an inch thick, and the insects penetrated 15 thicknesses of lead before escaping.

ORDINANCE NO. 154

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE NUMBERING OF HOUSES ON WIN- CHESTER STREET.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF DALY CITY do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the street numbers of the buildings in said City of Daly City, Winchester Street between Oliver Street and Wellington Avenue are hereby changed and will hereafter be numbered and designated in accordance with numbers to be designated and selected by the City Clerk of said City, commencing with Number One Hundred (100) at the intersection of Oliver and Winchester Streets and continuing thereafter, increasing with one hundred (100) numbers to the block between Oliver Street and Wellington Avenue.

Introduced the 25th day of April, 1927. Passed and adopted as an Ordinance of the City of Daly City at regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of said City held on the 9th day of May, 1927, by the following vote:

AYES, and in favor of the passage of said Ordinance, Trustees: BODIEN, O'Rourke, MORAN, SUNDERMANN, SMITH.

NOES, Trustees: None.

ABSENT, Trustees: None.

H. H. SMITH,

Mayor of the City of Daly City.

Attest: B. C. ROSS,

Clerk of the City of Daly City.

ORDINANCE NO. 155

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DALY CITY REGULATING TRAVEL AND TRAFFIC IN SAID CITY AND REPEALING CONFLICTING ORDINANCES AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF DALY CITY do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the following named street in the City of Daly City is hereby designated as a main boulevard and main highway, to-wit: MISSION STREET, between the northern and southern city limits of said City of Daly City.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for a driver of any vehicle to fall in with such vehicle with the front wheels thereof behind the projected property lines of said main boulevard or main highway as herein designated, where signs bearing the word "STOP" and or "ARTERIAL HIGHWAY" have been placed upon the street intersecting such main boulevard or main highway and on the right hand side of the curb of such intersecting street, at or near the projected property line along the nearest side of such main boulevard or main highway.

Section 3. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be necessary as an emergency measure for preserving public safety, reasons for its urgency being the immediate need for additional regulation of the increasing traffic on the street herein mentioned, and for the better protection of life and property.

Section 4. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine of not more than THREE HUNDRED (\$300) Dollars, or by imprisonment for a period of not more than three (3) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published once in the Daly City Record, a weekly newspaper published in said City, and shall take effect and become immediately from and after its passage.

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ORDINANCE NO. 156

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE ANNEXATION OF "ANNEXATION DISTRICT NO. 2" INCLUDING A PORTION OF SCHOOL HOUSE EX- TENSION LAND ASSOCIATION AND A PORTION OF UNION COURING PARK.

WHEREAS, on the 14th day of March, 1927, a petition was presented to the Board of Trustees of the City of Daly City asking that certain new territory in said petition described be annexed to the City of Daly City, and that an election be called and held in said new territory upon the question whether said new territory shall be annexed to and incorporated in and made a part of the City of Daly City.

WHEREAS, said Board of Trustees of the City of Daly City did, thereafter, to-wit: on the 30th day of April, 1927, pursuant to said petition and the hearing thereof and by Resolution No. 326, call a special election in said new territory, upon the question of annexation set forth in said petition and did cause notice thereof to be given and published at least once a week for four (4) successive weeks, prior to the day fixed for said election in the San Mateo Times and Daily News Leader, a daily newspaper of general circulation printed and published outside of the City of Daly City, but in the County of San Mateo, State of California, to-wit: in the City of San Mateo, California, and did designate said new territory by the name of "ANNEXATION DISTRICT NO. 2," including a portion of School House Extension Land Association and a portion of Union Couring Park, situated in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

WHEREAS, said special election was, pursuant to said notice, held in said territory on the 30th day of April, 1927, and the question so submitted to the electors residing in said territory, as requested in said petition and set forth in said notice, was whether said new territory be annexed to, incorporated in and made a part of the City of Daly City, and

Said Board of Trustees of the City of Daly City did thereafter, to-wit: on the 9th day of May, 1927, canvass the returns of said special election and declare the result thereof in words and figures as follows:

WHEREAS, the canvass of the return of the votes cast at the special annexation election held on Saturday, the 30th day of April, 1927, in certain outside territory more particularly described hereinafter and also in Resolution No. 326 of said City of Daly City duly passed and adopted on the 14th day of March, 1927, and which said resolution was a resolution calling a special election on the petition for the annexation of "ANNEXATION DISTRICT NO. 2," including a portion of School House Extension Land Association, and a portion of Union Couring Park, and did designate said territory as "ANNEXATION DISTRICT NO. 2," having been completed by said Board of Trustees.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND DECLARED BY SAID BOARD OF TRUSTEES AS FOLLOWS: That the whole number of votes cast at said annexation election in the outside territory proposed to be annexed to the City of Daly City and designated as "ANNEXATION DISTRICT NO. 2," and the total number of votes cast therein in favor of annexation and the total number of votes cast therein against annexation, to-wit:

Shall the new territory proposed to be annexed to the City of Daly City by the petition filed March 14, 1927, and now hereby defined and described as "ANNEXATION DISTRICT NO. 2," be annexed to the City of Daly City.

The total number of votes cast in said outside territory proposed to be annexed to said City of Daly City, was thirty-four (34); the total number of votes cast in said territory in favor of said annexation at said special election was twenty-three (23); and the total number of votes cast in said outside territory proposed to be annexed to said City of Daly City, was eleven (11).

City of Daly City at said special election against annexation was eleven (11); that the necessary majority of the votes cast in said outside territory required by law to be cast in favor of such annexation, and

WHEREAS, the act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries and for the annexation of territory to municipalities, cities, towns, counties, and for the incorporation of such corporations for territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, and in amendments thereto and supplementary thereto, and which these annexation proceedings were commenced and taken, as requested in said petition, provides that if it shall appear from the canvass of the returns of the election held in the territory proposed to be annexed, that a majority of all the votes cast is in favor of the City of Daly City, by ordinance, to approve such annexation.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Trustees of the City of Daly City, do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the annexation to the City of Daly City of the following described and incorporated territory, described as "ANNEXATION DISTRICT NO. 2," under the provisions of that certain Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries and for the annexation of territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and pursuant to proceedings heretofore had and taken, and the election held in "ANNEXATION DISTRICT NO. 2," on the 30th day of April, 1927, as set forth above, and the same is hereby ratified, confirmed and approved, which said new territory is contiguous to the City of Daly City, California, and is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain territory known as "ANNEXATION DISTRICT NO. 2," including a portion of School House Extension Land Association and a portion of Union Couring Park, situated in the County of San Mateo, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a point on the easterly line of Mission Street which point is the southeasterly corner of the boundary line of the City of Daly City, and running thence southerly along said easterly line of Mission Street to a point where the same is intersected by the easterly line of the boundary line of Vale Street, as said Vale Street is shown on that certain map entitled, "School House Extension Land Association," filed for record in Book Six (6) of Volume 1 of Maps at page 15, San Mateo County Records; thence westerly along said southerly line of Mission Street to the easterly right of way line of the Southern Pacific Railway Company's Valencia Street Branch; thence northerly along said easterly line of the boundary line of the City of Daly City, thence easterly along said southerly boundary line of said city to the point of beginning.

Section 2. That the Clerk of the City of Daly City shall forthwith upon the taking effect of this Ordinance, make and certify under the seal of the City of Daly City, and submit to the Secretary of State of the State of California, a copy of this Ordinance, giving the date of its passage, together with copy of the record of the canvass of the returns of said election, and a statement showing the date of such election, the time and result of the canvass of the returns of such election, and containing a description of said territory.

Section 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance by a unanimous vote of the Board of Trustees to be published once in the Daly City Record.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was regularly introduced at a regular meeting of said Board of Trustees held on the 9th day of May, 1927, and passed and adopted by the Board of the City of Daly City at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of said City held on the 9th day of May, 1927, by the following vote:

AYES, and in favor thereof, Trustees: BODIEN, O'Rourke, MORAN, SUNDERMANN, SMITH.

NOES, Trustees: None.

ABSENT, Trustees: None.

H. H. SMITH,

Mayor of the City of Daly City.

Attest: B. C. ROSS,

Clerk of the City of Daly City.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

No. 3301.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matter of the Estate of Giuseppe Riccomi, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Alfred Riccomi, administrator of the estate of Giuseppe Riccomi, deceased, will sell at private sale for cash, in lawful money of the United States, to the highest bidder upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, subject to the confirmation thereof by the above entitled Court, on or after Monday, the 15th day of May, 1927, all the right, title and interest which said Giuseppe Riccomi, deceased, had in and to the real property hereinafter described, and all the right, title and interest which the estate of said deceased has by operation of law or otherwise acquired in and to the real property hereinafter described, said property being particularly described as:

Consisting of a house and two lots, of which PARCEL ONE is described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of San Mateo, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Number Two (2) in Block Number Six (6) as the same is designated and delineated on that certain map entitled "Crocker Estate Tract, Subdivision No. 1," which was filed for record on June 1, 1908, and was recorded in Book Six (6) of Maps at page 16, in the office of the County Recorder of said County of San Mateo.

PARCEL TWO, the description of which is as follows:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of San Mateo, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

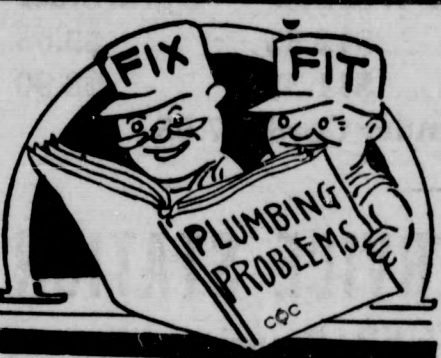
Lot Number Three (3), in Block Six (6), as the same is designated and delineated on that certain map entitled "Crocker Estate Tract, Subdivision No. 1," which was filed for record on June 1, 1908, and was recorded in Book Six (6) of Maps at page 16, in the office of the County Recorder of said County of San Mateo.

Bids must include all of said property. Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, lawful money of the United States of America, payable as follows: Ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price to accompany the bid, and the balance upon the confirmation of sale by said Superior Court and delivery of the deed. Bids must be in writing and may be left at the office of Franklin Swart, the attorney for said administrator, Court House, Daly City, California, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before making this sale. Dated: April 27th, 1927.

ALFRED RICCOMI,

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NEWS NOTES OF PERSONAL INTEREST

By MARC WORST

The new sheds of the A. L. Stockton Lumber Company, just north of the store, have all received a new coat of paint.

R. Foppiano and daughter Clara and son Buster, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Tacchi and Mr. and Mrs. Domenici, parents of Mrs. Foppiano, drove to Lompico last Sunday.

Mrs. Lilla Freshman, 191 Wilson street, and her brother Arthur Harris, motored to Amadore City, Friday, on a visit to their father, Richard Harris. They returned home Monday.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Company No. 4, Daly City Volunteer Fire Department, met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. E. Cuneo, on Peoria street. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meeks, of Atherton, were entertained at dinner last Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Butman of Evergreen avenue, in honor of Mother's day. Mrs. Meeks is the mother of Mrs. Butman.

Miss Tessie O'Connor was the week end guest of Miss Audrey Diamond, the home of Miss Diamond's grandmother in Berkeley.

The drill team of El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughters of the Golden West, held their meetings every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Daly City Auditorium.

Mrs. A. Tarkington and daughter, Miss Helen Tarkington, left Thursday after visiting for several weeks with Mrs. L. T. Cook. Mrs. Cook is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Tarkington.

The Third, Fourth and Fifth grades of Crocker school journeyed on Tuesday to Muir Woods, being accompanied by their teachers, Miss Johnson and Miss Atkinson, and had a wonderful time.

Miss Tessie O'Connor, with a number of young friends, attended the picnic sponsored by the Southern Pacific Company at Neptune Beach last Sunday. After the picnic the young ladies were guests at a dinner given by Miss Audrey Diamond at her grandmothers' home in Berkeley.

Mrs. Shaw will be chairman of the committee in charge of the next St. Maximus whist in the Daly City Auditorium, Tuesday, June 7.

Mrs. M. Murphy and daughter, Mrs. Cochran, with her daughter Patricia Cochran, motored with Earl McDaniels to Rockaway Beach last Sunday.

Miss Mary Brennan, George Meany, Philip Linder and Earl McDaniels, of San Francisco, spent Wednesday evening visiting Mrs. M. Murphy and family.

The Daly City Volunteer Fire Department baseball team defeated the San Bruno firemen last Sunday morning at Jefferson high by a score of 32 to 11.

The Senior class of Jefferson high will present the annual Senior play, "When Doris Comes to Town," on Friday, May 20, in the Jefferson high auditorium.

Mrs. E. L. Scott, 54 Parkview avenue, will leave Monday for Santa Rosa to attend the G. A. R. convention. She is a delegate for the Daughters of Veterans.

William Hopman, who has been serving as "Sunday cop" for several years, is the new regular member of the police force. Otto Schram, popular president of the Eagles, will serve as the Sunday man.

Madeline von Hofen, 51 Gambetta street, was operated on for appendicitis, Tuesday afternoon, at a San Francisco hospital. She is reported as getting along nicely and her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Company No. 4, Daly City Volunteer Fire Department, were among the first to contribute to the relief fund for the sufferers of the Mississippi flood, they having contributed \$5.00.

Mrs. A. Devlin and daughters, Gussie and Irene, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carmichael and daughter Margaret, motored to Geyserville and spent the week end at the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Peterson. They reported wonderful weather and brought many beautiful blossoms home.

Don't forget the big Hard Luck dance to be given by the Alumni Association of Jefferson high tonight in the high school auditorium. Music by Fred Lamb's five-piece orchestra. This dance is given for the benefit of the Alumni scholarship. Secure invitations from any Alumni member or high school student.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Toft, who had resided in Daly City for the past seventeen years, recently moved to Hopland. They will conduct a gasoline station and grocery store on the Lakeport highway. Their many friends in Daly City will miss them, but will be glad to know that they are prospering.

The Girls' Club of St. Maximus church is working with a vim on their big whist and dance to be given next Tuesday evening, March 17. The big event will be held in the Daly City Auditorium, and promises to be unusually successful. Admission will be 25 cents, and the game starts at 8:30. After the game there will be several hours of enjoyable dancing.

The many friends and customers of Miss Gussie Devlin, popular young proprietress of the Helene Beauty Shoppe, are complimenting her on the selection of her new location. During the year that she has been in business, Miss Devlin has made a wide circle of customers by her pleasing personality and accommodating manner. The new shop is fitted with the most modern equipment and the furnishings in the reception room make waiting a pleasure. This enterprising young lady has the best wishes of all her friends for future success at 6065 Mission street.

Abraham Gottfried, aged 18, the youngest son of Isador Gottfried, of Daly City, graduated with honors at the sixty-fourth commencement of the University of California last Tuesday. He received a Bachelor of Arts degree for a major in Political Science. All of Mr. Gottfried's sons are very intelligent and have made wonderful records for themselves. Mr. Gottfried is the rural mail carrier of Colma. Abraham will take a vacation of one month with his sister in Seattle. Then he will return to law college for three years, graduating at the age of 21, and will be one of the youngest candidates to ever take the bar examination.

On Tuesday morning in Judge Geo. H. Buck's court at Redwood City, the case of St. Maximus church vs. Granfield, Farrer & Carlin, for damages done to the church building by blasting, was heard. Many members of the parish were present. A number of experts testified as to the damage. A feature of the trial was the statement made under oath by Arthur Granfield that he did certain work in return for the damages free of charge for Father Bertola. Father Bertola, also under oath, denied this statement and offered to produce a receipt and returned check to confirm his statement. This was not required by the court. The decision will be handed down in twenty-five days.

B. C. Ross, city clerk, reports the following building permits for the week: R. Rudolph, 141 Winchester street, garage; J. G. Neish, 576 San Diego avenue, five rooms and garage; T. J. Butler, Hillcrest Drive, shed.

A whist party was held Tuesday evening by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Company No. 4, Daly City Volunteer Fire Department, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Landini. All the receipts of the evening were turned over to the Mississippi relief fund.

Attorney William H. Clay and Mrs. Nelson of Daly City, and J. L. Brown of Ross, Marin county, were in Redwood City Thursday, probating the will of the late Robert Nelson, the legal notice of which has been published in the Daly City Record.

A class of twenty-six candidates was admitted into the Colma-Vista Grande Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, at an initiation last Thursday evening. President Otto Schram presided. The Aerie now has over 300 members.

The members of St. Maximus Girls' Club will hold a special meeting Monday evening, May 16, at their club room adjoining the church, for the purpose of completing plans for their whist party and dance, to be held Tuesday evening, May 17, at the Daly City Auditorium. A large crowd is expected to attend this affair, and the young ladies of the club, under Miss Margie O'Connor, are working very hard to make this affair a success.

DALY CITY M. E. CHURCH

Sunday next, May 15, Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Epworth League at 7:15 p. m.; Vesper service at 8 p. m. On Wednesday next, May 18, a play entitled "The Minister's Wife's Bonnet" will be presented at the church at 8 p. m. Admission, adults 50 cents; children 25 cents. Proceeds in aid of the church. Don't miss this great presentation.

CHANGE NUMBERS ON WINCHESTER STREET

The street numbers of the buildings on Winchester street are to be changed. An ordinance has been adopted by the board of trustees which declares that: "The street numbers of the buildings fronting on Winchester street between Oliver street and Wellington avenue are hereby changed and will hereafter be numbered and designated in accordance with numbers to be designated and selected by the city clerk, commencing with Number 100 at the intersection of Oliver and Winchester streets, and continuing thereafter, increasing with 100 numbers to the block between Oliver street and Wellington avenue."

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR DISTRICT SCHOOL TAX.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the electors of the Jefferson School District, County of San Mateo, State of California, that an election will be held on the 28th day of May, 1927, at which will be submitted the question of voting a tax to raise funds to build a two room addition to the General Pishing School and for additional school purposes and facilities. For these purposes it is necessary to raise Seventeen Thousand Dollars (\$17,000.00).

The polls in the three precincts will be open at seven o'clock A. M. and will be kept open until seven o'clock P. M.

Precinct No. 1, Jefferson Hall.

Precinct No. 2, Vista Grande School.

Precinct No. 3, Crocker Tract School.

Mrs. Lilla Brown, inspector; Mrs. Mary Linhares and Mrs. S. Lewis, judges.

Precinct No. 4, consists of all that portion of the Jefferson School District described and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the shore of the Pacific Ocean where the same is intersected by the southerly line of Citrus Avenue produced easterly; thence along said southerly line of Citrus Avenue and its production westerly to its intersection with the shore line of the Pacific Ocean; thence along said southerly line to the point of beginning.

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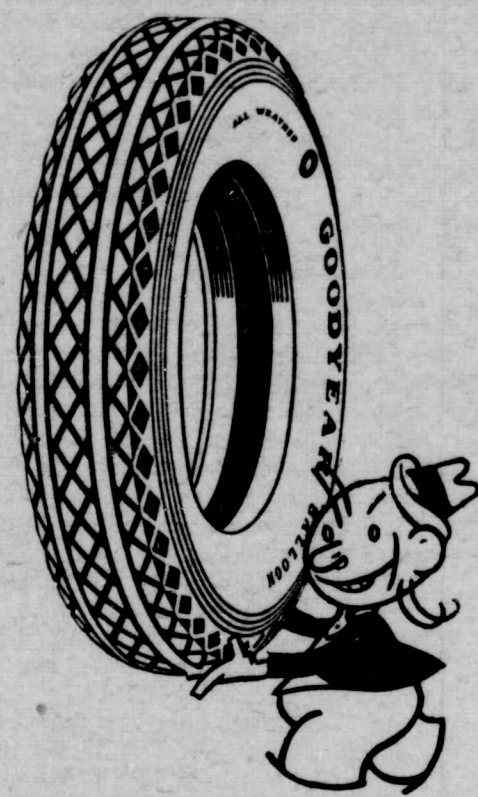
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One of the surprises of the meeting was the presentation by the San Francisco Lions Club of a bronze bell and gavel to be used by the president of the Lions Club of Daly City during the sessions of the club. The bell is appropriately engraved, and with the gavel, make a most acceptable addition to the paraphernalia of the local club.

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